

## ROSE SENTENCED

Liquor Licenses Granted, Decree of Court Filed in

## HADERMAN FEE CASE

And Other Business Transacted at Local Temple of Justice at Wednesday's Session.

The long-pending Rose case has been terminated and Henry Rose, the aged prisoner, has been sentenced to undergo imprisonment for a term of 30 years in the Western Penitentiary. The licenses having been disposed of and other business completed on Wednesday, Attorney Horn made a motion for permission to withdraw the plea of "not guilty" in the case of Henry Rose, who was convicted last September of having killed James B. Miller in Rainsburg on May 22, 1905, the verdict of the jury being "murder in the first degree."

The Court permitted the plea to be withdrawn and ordered the Sheriff to present the prisoner. After a consultation with his attorneys in a side room the prisoner returned to the court room, and on being bidden to arise stood up and pleaded guilty to the charge of murder and also to the charge of forgery. To the question, "What have you to say why sentence should not be pronounced, etc.," he replied that he had nothing to say. The Court then fixed the degree at "murder in the second degree" and sentenced the prisoner to pay costs of prosecution, a fine of five dollars and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for a period of twenty years. At the expiration of this sentence he is to undergo an additional imprisonment for ten years as a penalty for committing forgery.

No visible change came over the criminal during the trying ordeal, and the Sheriff then took him back to jail to await his trip to the penitentiary—his last trip, no doubt, for he is approaching the three-score-and-ten mark and is not likely to live through his imprisonment.

Yesterday morning Sheriff Imler took the prisoner to the Western Penitentiary to begin his long term.

## Liquor Licenses

On Wednesday liquor licenses were granted as follows:

Wholesale—Hughes Brothers, Bedford.

Distillers—Simon S. Brumbaugh, South Woodbury; Hughes Brothers, Napier; Albert E. Ryan, Bedford.

Retail—John H. Hafer, E. Evans, Charles Yont, Harry K. Fish, Edward Hill and John M. Powell, Bedford; Thomas Eichelberger, E. Leo Goveney and Joseph H. Edmondson, Everett; W. E. McCleary and Marcus May, Hyndman; James S. McIntyre and William A. Graftious, Saxton; Joshua Kerr, New Buena Vista; Robert McIntyre, Broad Top; John P. Lehman, Mann's Choice; R. W. Barnett, Hopewell; John P. McElwee, Coaldale; Edward Graftious, Deafance; Henry E. Bemis, Bedford Springs; Robert E. McIntyre, Coaldale; Andrew Weimer, Hopewell; and William B. Watkins, Pleasantville, were refused licenses.

## Haderman Fee

In the matter of the appeal of the County Commissioners, after a lengthy opinion the court makes the following decree: "And now, Feb. 25, 1907, the motion to frame an issue is over-ruled and the appeal is dismissed, the costs to be paid by the County of Bedford, appellants."

"J. M. Woods, P. J."

## Motions and Petitions

Estate of Etta N. Reamer, late of Bedford, on petition E. M. Pennell, Esq., appointed auditor.

Petition of Mrs. Nettie Price praying for an order to compel Andrew J. Price to support her and her children, rule granted.

Petition of G. W. Ressler praying for an order attaching his property to Colerain township for school purposes, rule granted on School Directors of Rainsburg borough.

Estate of Mary A. Milburn, late of Bedford, petition for an order of sale of real estate, order granted to executor.

Estate of William D. Ritchey, late of Hopewell township, bond of administrator and trustee to sell real estate filed and approved; same estate, rule suspended and return of sale filed and confirmed.

Estate of Elmer Feather, late of West St. Clair, petition for appointment of appraisers, Thomas Willis and John Oldham appointed.

Estate of Isaac Kensingler, late of Liberty, petition to pay money out of court, allowed as prayed for.

Estate of E. H. Whetstone, late of Bedford township, acceptance by Girard Trust Company of guardianship filed.

Estate of Jacob Z. Over, late of Bedford, petition for allowance for Edgar Fulton Over, a minor child, filed and allowed.

Samuel J. Lehman vs. Aaron Rose, et al., petition to amend record by adding George W. Zimmerman as a defendant granted.

Estate of Abram Reighard, late of Bedford township, petition for amendment of order of sale nunc pro tunc, order made.

Estate of Stella Colvin, return of sale of real estate by A. B. Egolf, guardian, filed and confirmed nisi.

Estate of Emanuel Benion, late of Kimmell, petition for order of sale granted; same estate, bond of administrator and trustee filed and approved.

Estate of C. C. Reamer, late of

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## AT THE THAW TRIAL

Former Bedford Boy, Now Prominent Lawyer, Draws Conclusions.

Probably no murder trial of modern times has attracted such widespread interest as that of Harry K. Thaw for the killing of Stanford White, the noted architect, at the Madison Square roof garden in New York, June 25, 1906.

Recently it was my pleasure to visit the criminal court building, which is connected with the Tombs by the Bridge of Signs, and as I passed the heavy doors leading to the room where the trial was in progress I encountered barriers at every turn. Blue-coats, no end of them, every sergeant or two were present to direct action. No one unless he holds the proper credentials can pass the line. I noticed a lady near the second door, one of the persistent kind, endeavoring to convince a sergeant that she represented a prominent journal, but the officer appeared to be unfamiliar with the publication and directed the young woman to the door from which she entered; so the stocky little creature of about thirty summers had to draw her pen sketch of the prisoner, the description of the big man on the bench, and the agents, "Wilmington and Napoleon" from imaginary sources, the storehouse of knowledge to which many sensational writers turn for succor in dire distress.

New York is all agog over this case; it seems to be the social event of the vicinage. The crowds that wrestle with the police for the privilege of entering the court room are inspired largely by curiosity—the curiosity which arouses bucolic concern in a three-horned cow. They want to see what the thing really looks like, and after they have looked over the principal actors and settings about the stage, their interest in the performance ebbs.

I was ushered to a seat near those occupied by the Thaw family and only a few feet from the table where the defendant sat chatting with Dr. Wagner. Dr. Britton D. Evans, the insanity expert, was on the witness stand and he was followed by Dr. Wagner. Technically the evidence brought out by these witnesses must be the foundation of a verdict for acquittal. The testimony of the physicians was practically identical. They gave the same account of Thaw's excited and wild appearance when he first visited him, and how he rolled his eyes showing much of the white, and of the sudden, furtive and suspicious glances he would turn upon them, whenever they were out of his direct vision. Both testified that Thaw talked principally about Stanford White, of the wrongs he had practiced on innocent girls, and that he, Thaw, had a mission to perform to save young women from White's baneful influence. They unhesitatingly declared that Thaw was insane when their conversations took place with him soon after the killing of Stanford White, but that the defendant is now a sane person.

Harry Thaw may not be insane at the present time, but I noticed the same peculiarity of manner in him while the physicians were testifying. He sat nervously in his chair, often casting his eyes to one side or the other as if frightened, the whites of his eyes showing plainly. Then he would seize a letter from the table, glance over it hurriedly, and then lay it aside. He whispered often to Mr. O'Reilly, one of his counsel, who has been assigned a seat at Thaw's elbow.

Mr. Delmas later offered Thaw's will in evidence, and the paragraphs grime to this trial were the two which provided a fund of \$50,000 for the investigation of his death should he die from unnatural causes. And the other clause established a fund for the assistance and protection of certain young women whose fates paralleled his wife's. Dr. Evans, the chief alienist for the defense, was again called to the stand and after reading the will gave it as his professional opinion that Thaw was insane at the time he executed the instrument.

Thus it follows that the jury will be called upon by the defense to find that Thaw was not only insane when he killed Stanford White, but was likewise insane two years previous when he executed his will, but now that he has banished Stanford White from earthly existence and that the architect can no longer seek the attention of his beautiful wife, a miraculous change has taken place in the prisoner, and he has been restored to perfect sanity.

It must be said, however, that Thaw has shown absolute devotion to his wife so far as the evidence yet discloses, and it was White's acts that have invariably crazed him. Still the defense cannot claim any considerable provocation for his act when he killed Stanford White, as he followed her, as she surmised, though without accosting her.

Therefore any claim that Thaw was protecting his wife in slaying Stanford White will apparently have little force. If the case goes to the jury the sole question will be: Did Harry K. Thaw know the nature and consequences of his act when he killed Stanford White, and was he mentally capable of knowing that the act was wrong?

Curtis G. Metzler.

Boston, February 26, 1907.

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## FIRST INDIAN AGENT

Was Bedford County Man—First Church Organized—Slout Taught to Cultivate the Soil.

Minneapolis, Minn., February 23, 1907.

Editor Gazette,

Dear Sir:—In 1805 President Jefferson deemed that it was of paramount importance for the United States that the northwestern territory, purchased from France in 1803, should be thoroughly explored and that a friendly acquaintance should be made with the Indian tribes who inhabited that vast region.

Accordingly, Lewis and Clarke were directed to explore the Mississippi river region, who, in making that exploration, reached the Pacific Ocean. Lieut. Zebulon Pike was directed to explore the upper Mississippi region, to expel any British traders who might be found violating the laws, and also to form an alliance with the Indians and to secure a proper site for a military station.

On arriving at the confluence of the Mississippi and St. Peter's rivers (now called Minnesota), Lieut. Pike, with his soldiers, encamped on the island which still bears his name.

On September 22, 1806, he held a council with the chiefs and warriors of the Sioux Indians and, in part, addressed them as follows: "Brothers, I am happy to meet you here at this council fire, which your father has sent me to kindle, and take you by the hand." They were then told that the United States Government had purchased Louisiana and desired to establish military posts, and for that purpose to purchase some lands. A treaty was then made with them, by which they agreed to grant unto the United States, for the purpose of establishing military posts, nine miles square at the mouth of the St. Croix, also from below the confluence of the Mississippi and St. Peter's up the Mississippi to include the Falls of St. Anthony, extending nine miles on each side of the river, in consideration of \$2,000. After making this treaty, Lieut. Pike left for Prairie du Chien and was greatly incensed at finding the British flag floating over the trading post at Red Cedar Lake.

The political strife arising out of the French Revolution and the exactions on the government by the war with Great Britain in 1812, compelled a postponement of the military occupation of the upper Mississippi region for many years. But in 1817, Maj. Stephen H. Long of the Engineer Corps of the United States army was directed to make a reconnaissance of this region. He left Prairie du Chien on July 9 in a six-oared skiff and on July 16 reached the present site of St. Paul and the Falls of St. Anthony. Speaking of the high bluff at the confluence of the Mississippi and Minnesota rivers, he says: "A military work of considerable magnitude might be constructed on the point."

It would control not only the point but all the neighboring heights and the navigation of the two rivers." A few years thereafter the government selected this strategic point for the erection of Fort Snelling.

"The attempt of Lord Selkirk to found a colony on the borders of the United States and the activity of the British trading companies within our boundaries roused our government to adopt necessary measures for the military occupation of the valley of the upper Mississippi.

On April 13, 1819, General McComb ordered Col. Henry Leavenworth, with a detachment of the Fifth Infantry, to proceed to the mouth of St. Peter's river (now Minnesota) and erect a fort. Maj. Thomas Forsyth left St. Louis with \$2,000 worth of goods to be distributed among the Sioux Indians, in accordance with the treaty of 1805, made by Lieut. Pike. He joined Col. Leavenworth on July 5 at Prairie du Chien.

After the arrival of the ordinance, provisions and recruits, the expedition set out on August 8 for Mendota. The outfit was very imposing; there were the large barge of Colonel Leavenworth, 14 bateaux, with 98 soldiers and officers, two large Mackinaw boats filled with various stores, and Forsyth's keel-boat, with the Indian presents. They arrived at Mendota on August 23 and 24. The troops were immediately ordered to cut down trees and make a clearing, upon which huts were to be erected. Here they passed the winter in great discomfort and considerable sickness, several of the soldiers having died. Early in September two more boats and a bateau, with officers and 120 recruits, arrived.

In the spring of 1820 Jean B. Fairbault brought up the colonel's horses from Prairie du Chien. It may be he left the winter quarters at Mendota, crossed the river and made a summer camp near a fine spring, where he cultivated a fine garden, so that green peas were eaten on June 15. Maj. Lawrence Tallaferra was the first Indian agent at the fort; he was appointed in 1819 and resigned in 1840.

In this year Lewis Cass, Governor of Michigan, and Henry Schoolcraft, the explorer, visited the fort. Late in August of this year, Col. Josiah Snelling arrived with his family and assumed control of the fort. It is said he infused new life and energy

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## HARRISBURG LETTER

Dr. Dixon Reappointed Commissioner of Health.

Harrisburg, February 27.—Governor Stuart sent to the Senate today the nomination of Samuel G. Dixon of Ardmore to be State Commissioner of Health, to take effect March 1, 1907. The nomination was promptly confirmed. Dr. Dixon was originally appointed to this office, the salary of which is \$10,000 a year, by Governor Pennypacker soon after the creation of the Department of Health by the Legislature of 1905.

## Anti-Vivisection

Representative Townsend of Philadelphia appeared as the champion of the anti-vivisectionists in the House this morning by introducing a bill providing that it shall be unlawful for any person to vivisect or experiment upon any living creature whatever. It matters not whether the experimentation shall be done in scientific research or not; the bill applies to everybody. The penalty is to be a fine of from \$100 to \$500 and imprisonment for from one to six months, either or both.

Rushing the growler, treating and other methods of conviviality in which alcoholic drinks play a conspicuous part will be back numbers should an amendment to the Brooks high license law of 1887, offered by Mr. Simpson of Huntingdon, be enacted. It amends section 17 of the act in question and makes it unlawful to sell any sort of intoxicant at a retail place, which is to be carried away from the premises or which is to be drunk by any person other than the purchaser himself.

## More Petitions

The Senate today, after two days of work, adjourned to meet Monday evening. There was the usual flood of petitions handed in today, mainly in favor of local option, and one for an anti-vaccination law.

Among the bills introduced were the following:

Mr. Crawford—Appropriating \$17,000,000 to public and state normal schools for the next two years.

Mr. Hulings—Placing all public officials in counties having over 150,000 population under civil service regulations.

Mr. Dewalt—Amending the act of 1903 relating to the voting of proxies at corporation meetings.

Mr. Godcharles—Relating to County Commissioners' rebuilding bridges on sites owned by corporations.

## Readings and Music

The entertainment given in Assembly Hall last Friday night was highly appreciated by all who attended.

Amos Jay Hershey is a reader of force and an accurate interpreter and is natural. He would be greeted with enthusiasm should he return to Bedford. The music by the Lyrian Club of the high school, the vocal solo by Miss Shuck, the violin solo by Lawrence Oppenheimer and the piano duet by Misses Ruth Allen and Regina Calhoun all revealed ability along musical lines of which the town may be proud.

## P. O. S. of A. Celebration

Washington's Birthday was celebrated by Camp 31, P. O. S. of A., last Friday evening by an entertainment of a patriotic nature. The hall was decorated with the national colors and an interesting program was rendered in the presence of a large audience. The meeting was presided over by H. D. Tate, Esq., and was opened with prayer by Rev. George Leidy. The principal features of the evening were addresses by Rev. C. W. Warlick of Mann's Choice and H. D. Tate, Esq., and an illustrated lecture by S. B. Amos. A number of phonograph selections were rendered.

## Mrs. Catharine Imler

Mrs. Catharine Imler, widow of Thomas N. Imler, died at Osterburg on Wednesday, February 20, aged 71 years, three months and 26 days.

She was a daughter of Isaac and Maria Pessel and was born near Imler on October 24, 1835. On September 4, 1856, she was married to Thomas N. Imler. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. F. K. Moses, and three brothers and sisters: Abraham Pessel of Altoona, John Henry of Roaring Spring and Mrs. Sarah Cramer of Imler. Although confined to her chair for six years and 20 days, Mrs. Imler was always patient and resigned.

Funeral services were held in the St. Clairsville Lutheran church on Friday, February 22, conducted by Rev. J. H. Diehl, assisted by Rev. J. W. Zehring.

## Philip E. Smith

Philip E. Smith, a veteran of the Civil War, died at his home in Mann township on Friday, February 22, aged 69 years, four months and 28 days. He was twice married, his first wife being Miss Martha Collins and the second, Miss Sophia Kennard. He leaves nine children: Charles, who resides in the west; Major F. Mrs. Eliza Martin; Mrs. Henry Bennett; Mrs. John Elbin and Mrs. Laura Akers, of Mann township; and Vernon, John and Scott, at home.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. Charles Rhinehart of the Christian church and interment made in the cemetery adjoining Fairview church.

## Little Girl's Monument

C. W. Grose, Hyndman's marble dealer, recently received from Italy a life size statue of Helen, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Gensimore, of New Enterprise, which will mark the resting place of the little girl in the cemetery near that place. The statue has attracted a great deal of attention.

## MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes Tersely Told

## MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—Little Points Picked Up By Vigilant Reporters.

The members of Washington Camp No. 31, P. O. S. of A., will banquet at the Hotel Waverly Friday evening, March 8.

Bishop Darlington will hold services in the Episcopal church at this place at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, March 6. All invited.

We unintentionally omitted in our election returns last week the name of J. A. Slonaker who was elected Councilman in Pleasantville.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Diehl, of Bedford township, have been called to the bedside of their mother, who is critically ill.

Arnold C. Wolfe of Saxton and Miss Mary C. Adams of Juniata were married in Altoona, last Saturday, February 23, by Rev. H. H. Crostley.

William Stonebraker, a junior at the Altoona High School, won the Annapolis cadetship at the competitive examination last Saturday, with 81 percentage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blymyer entertained at their home Monday evening, a number of friends from Schellsburg and Bedford. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Rev. B. F. Bausman of Cessna will preach in St. John's Reformed church this place, Sunday evening. There will be no service in the morning. Services morning and evening, March 10.

Charles Edwards, employed at the Cottage Planing Mill, Everett, while operating a saw in the pin-room last Wednesday, had the misfortune to have all the fingers of his right hand cut off at the joints. Mr. Edwards is a brother of Mrs. Clarence Davidson of this place.

The Post Office Department has issued an order to postmasters that all cards bearing tinsel, or gilt edge cards, shall be prohibited from passing through the mails unless enclosed in an envelope. It is claimed that these substances are injurious and should not be handled because of the poison they contain.

On account of the dedication of the new house of worship of the Church of God at Coaldale on March 17, there will be a special train between Coaldale and Saxton. It will leave Saxton at 9:40 a. m., arrive at Coaldale at 10:05, returning, leave Coaldale at 9:15 p. m., arriving at Saxton at 9:40. It will make all intermediate stops.

On Tuesday of this week Representative Oster called on the chief of the Bureau of Railways at Harrisburg and presented to that department a petition signed by over 500 citizens of the northern portion of this county demanding better train services over the Bedford and Hollidaysburg railroad. The department has promised Mr. Oster that the Secretary of Internal Affairs, Major Brown, will take the matter up with the company at once, with a view to require them to render proper service to the public.

## Mrs. Charlotte Gephart

Charlotte Gephart, wife of Frederick Gephart, died at her home near New Paris, on February 19, aged 80 years, seven months and 18 days. She was a daughter of John G. and Maria (Hammer) Bowers, and was the mother of five sons and one daughter—Isaiah, Albert and William Gephart, of New Enterprise; James Gephart of Cessna, J. W. Gephart of New Paris and Mrs. Gabriel Miller of Alum Bank. Two brothers, Michael Bowers of Montana and Jacob Bowers of New Paris, and two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Corie and Mrs. John S. Otto, of near New Paris, survive her. The deceased was a member of the U. B. church for nearly fifty years. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. E. Ott, who based his fitting and consoling remarks on Isa. 38: 1, Set thine house in order: for thou shalt die, and not live. Interment was made in the Evangelical cemetery on Friday afternoon. Cnj.

## Mrs. Daniel W. Feight

Hannah E., wife of Daniel W. Feight, died at her home in Everett on Thursday, February 23, after a lingering illness, at the age of 63 years, three months and four days. Her maiden name was Hannah E. Mortimore and she was born in West Providence on November 24, 1843. On July 23, 1874, she was married to Daniel W. Feight who, with the following children, survives: J. Howard Feight of Bedford, Simon and Miss Rosanna, of Jeannette, and Edgar and Walter, at home.

Mrs. Feight was a member of the Lutheran church of Everett. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at her late home and interment will be made in the Everett cemetery.

## Francis Donahoe

Francis Donahoe, a prominent farmer, died at his home at Bean's Cove Wednesday morning, February 27, at the age of 83 years. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Hilleary, Edward and Miss Annie, who reside at home, and Mrs. John Will of Bedford. Funeral will take place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock from the Catholic church at Bean's Cove.

## PERSONAL NOTES

People Who Move Hither and Thither in This Busy World.

Prof. L. H. Hinkle of Alum Bank attended court this week.

Mr. Frank Smith of Mann's Choice was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Mr. Clarence Cuppett of Mann's Choice spent Tuesday in Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hall, of Yellow Creek, spent Tuesday in Bedford.

Mr. Joseph Wyles of Snake Spring was a caller at this office yesterday.

Mr. Karl Amick of Sunbury spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

Mr. B. F. Evans of Hopewell was attending to business affairs here on Wednesday.

Miss Grace Petrouse of Philadelphia is visiting relatives and friends in this county.

Merchant Clarence B. Williams of Osterburg was among the Bedford visitors on Wednesday.

Jeweler and Mrs. W. A. Deibaugh and daughter Sue are spending some time in Washington, D. C.

Misses Emily Shires and Nellie Davidson left on Monday to spend two weeks in Philadelphia.

Miss Edith Hamaker, one of Fishertown's popular young ladies, spent last Saturday in town.

Mrs. Chas. R. Rhodes of Hyndman was a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Allen, a day or two this week.

Miss Laura Madore of Hyndman spent last Friday here as the guest of her brother, B. F. Madore, Esq.

Mrs. Carrie Dallard of Mann's Choice left this week for Philadelphia to purchase her stock of spring and summer goods.

Messrs. H. E. Whisker, A. G. Colvin and John Basore, of New Buena Vista, were business visitors to the County Capital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Will were called to Bean's Cove this week on account of the death of Mrs. Will's father, Mr. Francis Donahoe.

## Miss Lulu R. Amos

Lulu Ray Amos was born in Friend's Cove, Bedford county, Pa., June 20, 1889. Her early life was spent at her birthplace. In March, 1905, she, with her parents, moved to Lorain, residing near the head of Penfield avenue. In August last she was taken with typhoid fever from which she never recovered, and passed to her heavenly home January 30, 1907.

The last sad rites were held at her last home Friday morning, attended by a large concourse of friends. Rev. Whaley, pastor of the Congregational church of Amherst, conducted the services. Music was furnished by a quartet from the Sunday school of which Lulu was a faithful member.

The floral offerings were many and beautiful, attesting the high regard in which she was held by her friends and associates. She is survived by her father, mother and four sisters. The remains were taken to her former home to be laid at rest in the church yard near her birthplace. At the early age of 16 she united with Grace Reformed church at Jeannette, Pa., to which vows she has ever remained faithful.

Lulu was very ambitious to acquire an education, but she has been transplanted in a realm where her highest ambitions will be fulfilled. She was a member of Mrs. Foot's class at the Maplewood Sunday school, where she will be greatly missed.—Amherst Reporter.

## Mrs. Adam G. Dively

Mrs. Hannah Dively, wife of Squire Adam G. Dively of Bedford township, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alexander Burket, at Queen, where she had gone for a visit, on Monday, February 25. She had been a sufferer from rheumatism of the heart for a number of years. Mrs. Dively, whose maiden name was Corie, was born near Queen on December 29, 1849, hence was aged 57 years, one month and 26 days.

She was married to Adam G. Dively, a prominent farmer of Bedford township, who, with two sons, George and Humphrey, both of Bedford township, survive her. She is also survived by one brother, Frank Corie, and one sister, Mrs. Alexander Burket, of Queen. Mrs. Dively was a good christian woman, a faithful and loving wife and mother and a kind friend and neighbor, who will be greatly missed in the community.

Funeral services were held at the Messiah church at 2 p. m. Wednesday, conducted by Rev. J. H. Diehl.

## Solomon Sturtz

On Sunday, February 17, at his home in Speelman, Solomon Sturtz passed away at the age of 80 years and 11 months. He served in Co. I, 171st Regiment of Penna. Infantry and Co. B, 53rd Regiment Penna. Infantry, during the Civil War. He is survived by his widow, four sons and four daughters: John, Henry, Samuel, George, Mrs. William Blough, Mrs. James Eller, Mrs. George White and Mrs. James Beltz. Funeral services were held at Madley on Wednesday, February 20.



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## FORT SNELLING

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into the officers and troops. Shortly before his arrival Lieutenant Green, adjutant of the regiment, married the daughter of Captain Gooding; soon after his arrival Mrs. Snelling gave birth to a daughter, who died at the age of 13. Probably this birth, death and this marriage were the first among the white people within the present limits of Minnesota.

During the summer the troops were busily engaged in procuring logs and other necessary materials for the work. Colonel Snelling selected the site for the fort and it was named "Fort St. Anthony." On September 10, 1820, the cornerstone was laid, with suitable ceremony, and notwithstanding that the work was pushed vigorously, the buildings were not habitable and the troops were compelled to occupy the old quarters during the winter of 1821-22. In the fall of 1821 a government sawmill was built at the Falls of St. Anthony and the lumber for the buildings was then sawed. The building was first occupied in 1822.

The fort is situated on a high bluff on the west side of the Mississippi river, nearly midway between the "Twin Cities." It is described as an irregular shaped bastioned redoubt, or lozenge, in view of the projection between the Mississippi and Minnesota rivers. The first row of barracks was of hewn logs and the other buildings were of stone.

In 1823, the sawmill erected in 1821 was fitted up by Colonel Snelling for grinding flour for the use of the garrison, under the supervision of Lieutenant McCabe. About 1823 Major Taliaferro opened a farm and a farming school near Lake Calhoun, for the purpose of teaching the Sioux Indians how to cultivate the soil.

Colonel Snelling informed General Gibson that a large quantity of wheat would be raised in the summer (1823). Thereupon the Commissary of Subsistence at St. Louis was instructed to forward a pair of millstones and some sickles to St. Peter's. But mark how careful and specific General Gibson was in his letter to Colonel Snelling, "If any flour is manufactured from the wheat raised, be pleased to let me know as early as practicable that I may deduct the quantity manufactured at the post from the quantity advertised to be contracted for. \* \* \* Below you will find the amount charged in the books against the garrison at Fort Anthony \* \* \* which you will deduct from the payments to be made for the flour raised and turned over to you for issue. I pair buhr millstones, \$250.11; 337 pounds Plaster of Paris, \$20.22 and two dozen sickles, \$18, total, \$288.33.

The General approved the price fixed by Colonel Snelling to be paid to the troops for the flour furnished by them and deemed equitable and just. "You will, accordingly, pay for the flour \$3.33 per barrel." I give these facts in order to show how fair, just and honest the government officials were in early days. In this com-

mercial age, perhaps, the wheat, the flour, the millstones, the sickles and, very likely, the mill, would all be appropriated by hungry and corrupt officials and politicians.

The building of the sawmill and flour mill and the raising of the wheat in 1823 were not only prophecies but precursors of the present wonderful lumber, grain and flour productions of Minnesota. In the same year, Major Long of the United States Engineers arrived at the fort in command of an expedition to explore the Minnesota river and the northern boundary of the United States.

The steamboat Virginia arrived at the fort in May from St. Louis. It being the pioneer boat of the upper Mississippi, its arrival created a great sensation. In the same year Mrs. Snelling and Mrs. Clarke established the first Sunday school in the northwest. It was held in the basement of the commanding officer's quarters and was productive of much good; many of the soldiers, with their families, attended. A Bible class, for officers and their wives, was formed and all became so interested in the history of the patriarchs that after the lesson on the death of Moses, a member of the class met Mrs. Clarke and said, in saddened tones, "But don't you feel sorry that Moses is dead." The Sunday school formed in St. Paul in 1840 was long after this one and not before, as claimed.

In 1824 Gen. Winfield Scott visited the fort and upon his recommendation the name was changed to Fort Snelling because the present name (St. Anthony) was foreign to all of our associations and is, besides, geographically incorrect as the work stands at the junction of the Mississippi and St. Peter's (Minnesota) rivers, eight miles below the great falls called after St. Anthony.

He further says, "This work reflects the highest credit on Colonel Snelling, his officers and men. The defenses and, for the most part, the public store-houses, shops and quarters being constructed of stone, the whole is likely to endure as long as the post shall remain a frontier one."

At this time the means of communication between the fort and the civilized world was very limited. The mail was usually carried by soldiers to Prairie du Chien. On January 26, 1826, there was great joy in the fort, caused by the return from furlough of Lieutenants Baxley and Russell, who brought with them the first mail received for five months. In February and March the snow fell to the depth of two or three feet and there was great suffering among the Indians. It drifted in heaps from six to fifteen feet in height.

In the fall of 1826 all the troops at Prairie du Chien were removed to Fort Snelling. During the fall of 1827 the Fifth Regiment was relieved by a part of the First. The next year Colonel Snelling proceeded to Washington, where he died. Major-General McComb, in announcing his death, said, "In the Battle of Tippecanoe he was distinguished for gallantry and good conduct."

In 1836 the distinguished French astronomer, Jean N. Nicollet, arrived at the fort. He explored the upper Mississippi river. Minneapolis has honored him with the name of Nicol-

let avenue.

In May, 1835, Dr. Williamson, a missionary, united in marriage, at the fort, Lieut. Edward A. Ogden and Eliza Edna, daughter of Capt. G. A. Loomis. On June 11 a meeting was held at the fort to organize a Presbyterian church. Sixteen persons who had been communicants and six who had made a profession of faith, one of whom was Lieutenant Ogden, were enrolled as members. Four elders were elected, among them being Captain Loomis and Samuel W. Pond. The next day preparatory services were held and the communion administered. Immediately the little church at the fort began to manifest a missionary spirit. Their contributions were considerable, for the numbers; Dr. Jarvis, the military surgeon, contributed \$25. The church commenced a school with six Indian children; not one could speak any language but Sioux. The school increased to twenty-five. This is, evidently, the first school for Indian children in the northwest.

The Roman Catholic church established a mission at Mendota, near the fort, in 1841, through Father Ravoux from France, who, it is said, "was a sincere and earnest priest of the church." Thus, as it ever should be, the soldiers of the army and the soldiers of the Cross intermingled and worshipped, alike, the same Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. But evil is ever present in the world. Notwithstanding that the law prohibited the introduction of whiskey on the military reservation, it was brought there in large quantities. Arch Bishop Ireland in an historical address mentions the fact. The first boat of the season (1839), the Ariel, came to the fort with 20 barrels of whiskey for I. S. Brown and in May the

## Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles.

You may have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



Glancus brought six barrels of liquor for D. Fairbault. Some soldiers went to Brown's grocery on the opposite side of the river (now St. Paul) and that night 47 were put in the guard house for drunkenness.

Although, by the treaty made by Lieutenant Pike with the Sioux Indians in 1805 for the Fort Snelling reservation, the title thereto did not cease, until 1838, when the United States Senate ratified the treaty made by Governor Dodge of Wisconsin with them the year before, whereby the Sioux claim to all lands east of the Mississippi, including the said reservation, ceased.

In November, 1853, the President, under an Act of Congress, reduced the reservation to 6,000 acres and the Secretary of War, under the Act of 1870, set apart 1,531 acres for a permanent military reservation. The balance, except twenty acres, which were previously granted by the government to the Catholic church for church and burial purposes, was thrown open to settlers. And in satisfaction of the claim of Franklin Steele he was given 2,000 acres.

At this date nearly all the old buildings have fallen into decay and ruin, perhaps excepting two or three. Some of them have been torn down and replaced with other "better and more substantial brick buildings, which have been erected with a view both to convenience and beauty. The residential houses, for the officers and their families, stand in a somewhat semi-circular plan on the west of the grounds, while the barracks for the troops, the offices, store rooms, and stables are located on the east side, with a very large, wide and open space between them, which is laid out very tastefully and artistically with paths and roads which render the whole somewhat like a beautiful suburban settlement.

There is a postoffice, telegraph and telephone offices, a railroad station and water works, which supply the post with plenty of pure water. The largest garrison in the northwest, consisting of infantry, cavalry and artillery, is stationed here.

The cornerstone of the fort was laid in 1820. At that early date the great northwest was a vast, unbroken wilderness, only trodden by the wild red man, the wilder forest animals and the greedy Indian traders. The objects of the government were, manifestly, to protect the northern frontier from foreign invasion; to prevent the Sioux and Chippeway tribes from open warfare with each other; to protect the Indians from the cupidity of the fur traders and, finally, to protect the white settlers, who were likely to spread over this vast territory when it would be open to settlement. Although no attack was ever made on the fort because of the great moral influence exercised over the Indians and the traders by the personnel of the little army occupying the fort, yet their influence went much farther for the good and welfare of the Indians. In all the above mentioned intentions of the Government, the officers and troops were eminently successful; but aside from the military arm they exercised a great moral, religious and educational influence on the white and red men alike who came under their care, as is clearly shown by the great missionary and educational work done by them.

The fort has served the purpose for which it was built and is now the historical land mark for Minnesota and the northwest. Here was the first settlement, the first birth, the first marriage and the first death. Here was organized the first church and the first Sunday school for Indian children. Here was the first garden, the first farm opened, the first agricultural school opened to teach the Sioux to cultivate the soil. Here the first sawmill and the first flour mill were erected and the first wheat raised, all within the present limits of Minnesota. Around Fort Snelling cluster all the early and tender associations of the state.

William P. Schell

## FOR STOMACH SUFFERERS

Don't Use Any Remedy That Keeps Its Formula a Secret.

People troubled with stomach weakness cannot afford to use a medicine unless they know what it contains.

Mi-o-na is the one remedy for stomach troubles that publishes its formula—chemically pure bismuth subgallate, to allay any inflammation of the stomach and bowels; cerium oxalate, to strengthen the stomach nerves; sodium bi-carbonate, to neutralize the poisonous acids that are present in stomach troubles; and nuxvomica, which restores vigor to the digestive organs and tones up the whole nervous system.

This combination of valuable remedies is found only in Mi-o-na stomach tablets, and it so rarely fails to strengthen the digestive system, and cure even the worst form of stomach trouble, that F. W. Jordan sells the remedy under guarantee to refund the money unless it cures.

A 50c box of Mi-o-na will give quick relief for indigestion, distress after eating, sleeplessness, or any of the other symptoms of stomach troubles. Unless it does this, the cost is nothing.

## Our Native Land

I sometimes feel that we are breaking loose from the traditions and ties that mean so much for the permanency of family life, although it is claimed, I believe, by some, that this is merely an effete survival of the old feudal idea. At the same time, no matter how far away the American may remove from his native state or old home, there always clings about those cherished memories a flavor of romance that no other place can have, and today thousands of people make pilgrimages to Virginia or New England to see the spot where their forefathers lived—to look upon scenes fraught with the same memories that came to Senator Keen every day of his life, as he moved about the place which his father and grandfather toiled to build, not only for themselves, but the fixed ambition to establish a family seat, a home, which should be an integral part of the nation—that should be worthy of the great country to which they belonged—Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine for March.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package. For this reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison-marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Refuse to accept any other Sold by all dealers.

## CATARRH

and

### CATARRHAL HEADACHES

are quickly relieved by Nosenas. It soothes the congested membranes, allays inflammations and thoroughly cleanses. It keeps moist all the passages whose tendency is to thicken and become dry. Cures colds, throat troubles, hoarseness, hay fever, "stopped-up" nose, breathing through mouth while sleeping, offensive breath, etc. It is antiseptic and contains no chemical or drugs having a narcotic effect, or that can cause the "drug habit."

## We Guarantee Satisfaction

J. A. Brogdon, of the National Sign Co., Dayton, Ohio, writes under date of Oct. 12, 1906: "Nosenas is the only preparation I have ever used that relieves my affection so speedily and pleasantly. I am getting the first real pleasure out of breathing that I have experienced since I contracted catarrh six years ago. Money would not buy my tube of Nosenas if I could not get another."

Buy Nosenas from J. R. Irvine & Co., get your money back if not satisfied. Sample tube and booklet by mail 10 cts.

Brown Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, Mo. and Greenville, Tenn.

## The New Shirtwaist

The shops are showing a charming little shirtwaist model eminently suited to the younger girls of the family as well as the "grown-ups." This is plain or tucked as desired, but the distinguishing feature lies in the treatment of the front plait and the turn back cuffs. These are edged with a knife-plaited frill about one inch in width.

Most of the large shops carry a complete line of the ruffings made by an English manufacturer that are pretty and dainty as can be and save a great deal of time and trouble, as they are all provided with a drawing string in the upper edge.

"In 1897 I had a stomach disease. Some physicians said Dyspepsia, some Consumption. One said I would not live until Spring. For four years I existed on boiled milk, soda biscuits, and doctors' prescriptions. I could not digest anything I ate; then I picked up one of your Almanacs and it happened to be my life-saver. I bought a fifty-cent bottle of KODOL and the benefit I received from that bottle all the gold in Georgia could not buy. In two months I went back to my work, as a machinist, and in three months I was well and hearty. May you live long and prosper."—C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., 1906. The above is only a sample of the great good that is daily done everywhere by Kodol for Dyspepsia. It is sold here by Ed. D. Heckerman.

## Obstinate Stains

Obstinate fruit stains may be removed by taking three ounces of oxalic acid to one pint of water. Wet stain with solution, place over kettle of hot water and steam. Rinse well, the instant the stain disappears. Wet with ammonia to counteract acid. Rinse.

Paint stains that are dry and old may be removed from cotton or woolen goods with chloroform. First cover the spots with olive oil or butter.

You should be very careful of your bowels when you have a cold. Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels—contains NO opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drugs Law. Bears the endorsement of mothers everywhere. Children like its pleasant taste. Sold by Ed. D. Heckerman.

## This is Worth Remembering

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package. Ed. D. Heckerman.

## ACHED IN EVERY BONE.

Chicago Society Woman Who Was So Sick She Could Not Sleep or Eat, Cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.

When a woman's kidneys go wrong, her back gives out and every little task becomes a burden. She is tired, nervous, sleepless, run down—suffers daily from backache, headaches, dizzy spells, and bearing-down pains.

Don't worry over "imagined" female troubles. Cure the kidneys and you will be well. Read how to find the cure.

Marion Knight, of 33 N. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill., member of the Chicago Federation of Musicians and a well-known club woman, says: "This winter when I started to use Doan's Kidney Pills I ached in every bone and had intense pains in the kidneys and pelvic organs. The urine was thick and cloudy, and I could barely eat enough to live. I felt a change for the better within a week. The second week I began eating heartily. I began to improve generally, and before seven weeks had passed I was well. I had spent hundreds of dollars for medicine that did not help me, but \$4 worth of Doan's Kidney Pills restored me to perfect health."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Miss Knight will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address: Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers; price, fifty cents per box.



The accounts of Corporations, Firms and Individuals received upon the most favorable terms consistent with safe and conservative banking.

## THE First National Bank

BEDFORD, PA.

Capital	\$100,000
United States bonds	100,000
Liability of Shareholders	100,000
Surplus and undivided profits	4,000
Security to depositors	\$64,000

Three per cent. interest paid on time deposits.

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## OFFICERS.

OSCAR D. DOTY ..... President  
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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never dries or itches the scalp. Gray Hair to its youthful color. Cures itching and hair falling. 25c and \$1.00 at Druggists.

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FOR NERVE & BONE  
CUTS, SORES, BURNS & RHEUMATISM 25c

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Unencumbered Individual Assets Over \$500,000.

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Individual liability to all depositors and persons doing business with this firm.

This institution, in existence over 30 years, invites a continuance of the patronage of this business. Loans made on reasonable terms. Accounts and deposits solicited.

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R-I-P-A-N-S TABULES

DOCTORS FIND

A GOOD PRESCRIPTION

FOR MANKIND

The 5-cent packet is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.



# CINCINNATI PEOPLE EXCITED

The Great Cooper as he is Called Has Stirred up That City to a Remarkable Degree.

Cincinnati, O., February 28.—This city is at present in the midst of an excitement beyond anything that it has experienced in recent years.

Old and young, rich and poor, all seem to have become beside themselves over an individual who was a stranger to Cincinnati up to two weeks ago.

The man who has created all this turmoil is L. T. Cooper, President of the Cooper Medicine Co., of Dayton, Ohio, who is at present introducing his preparations in this city for the first time.

Cooper is a man about thirty years of age and has acquired a fortune within the past two years by the sale of some preparations of which he is the owner.

Reports from eastern cities that preceded the young man here were of the most startling nature. Many of the leading druggists going so far as to state that he had nightly cured in public places deafness of years' standing with one of his preparations. The physicians of the East contradicted this statement, claiming the thing to be impossible, but the facts seemed to bear out this statement that Cooper actually did so.

In consequence people flocked to him by thousands and his preparations sold like wildfire.

Many of these stories were regarded as fictitious in Cincinnati and until Cooper actually reached this city little attention was paid to them. Hardly had the young man arrived, how-

ever, when he began giving demonstrations, as he calls them, in public, and daily met people afflicted with deafness and with a single application of one of his preparations actually made deaf people hear again.

In addition to this work Cooper advanced the theory that stomach trouble is the foundation of nine out of ten diseases and claimed to have a preparation that would restore the stomach to working order and thus get rid of such troubles as rheumatism and affections of the kidneys and liver, in about two weeks' time.

This statement seems to have been borne out by the remarkable results obtained through the use of his preparation, and now all Cincinnati is apparently mad over the young man.

His headquarters resemble a veritable stampede. Thousands of people are visiting him each day, and the druggists are selling his medicines in enormous quantities.

What seems to make Cooper still more popular is the fact that he practices extensive charitable work and has already dispensed a small fortune among the poor of the city.

How long the tremendous interest in Cooper will last is hard to estimate. At present there seems to be no sign of a let-up. Reputable physicians claim it to be a fact that will die out as soon as Cooper leaves.

In justice to him, however, it must be said that he seems to have accomplished a great deal for the sick of this city with his preparations.

## Commissioners' Report

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF BEDFORD COUNTY, SHOWING THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1906.

TAXES BY DISTRICTS	County	State	Dog
Bedford Borough	\$4,389.00	\$1,174.27	\$ 84.50
Bedford Township	5,194.14	396.41	129.50
Bloomfield	1,551.03	96.84	68.00
Broad Top	3,398.73	183.31	151.00
Coaldale	274.59	6.70	12.00
Colerain	2,381.06	184.41	59.00
Cumberland Valley	1,928.21	374.56	77.00
Everett	2,377.07	735.28	31.00
Harrison	1,164.37	82.08	35.00
Hopewell Borough	440.44	113.84	20.00
Hopewell Township	1,514.57	82.63	58.50
Hyndman	1,221.57	122.95	24.00
Junata	1,723.02	70.60	64.00
Kimmell	882.40	80.30	51.50
King	1,172.37	129.63	55.00
Liberty	1,875.80	26.21	61.00
Lincoln	411.94	31.37	29.50
Londonderry	1,626.24	134.97	82.50
Mann	489.46	29.09	53.50
Mann's Choice	432.66	69.81	4.50
Mourne	1,614.90	102.09	97.00
Napier	2,755.71	184.52	103.50
Newport	219.90	64.54	5.50
Pleasantville	1,322.56	106.27	7.50
Providence East	1,327.79	56.11	73.50
Providence West	2,378.28	797.43	102.50
Rainsburg	220.57	28.17	10.50
Saxton	1,224.64	394.63	23.50
Schellsburg	457.38	179.80	6.00
Snake Spring	1,605.52	95.92	46.50
Southampton	845.06	81.47	67.00
St. Clairsville	114.12	84.45	1.00
St. Clair East	1,691.98	312.87	65.50
St. Clair West	1,211.69	176.46	50.00
Union	492.27	33.18	24.50
Woodbury Borough	452.44	95.28	6.50
Woodbury Township	2,575.57	109.05	58.00
Woodbury South	3,296.43	238.68	105.50
Totals	\$57,125.58	\$7,228.77	\$1,964.00

Statement of the Account of W. B. Filler, Treasurer of Bedford County, Showing the Gross Receipts and Expenditures for County Purposes from January 1st, 1906, to December 31st, 1906, inclusive.

Receipts	DR.
To amount of duplicate county tax	\$57,125.58
To amount of duplicate state tax	7,228.77
To amount of loan from First National Bank	2,000.00
To amount bonds issued	12,000.00
To amt. state tax refunded	5,541.26
To amount county's share, retail liquor licenses	585.00
To amount surplus fees, Prothonotary's office	700.06
To amount taxes received for 1905	193.32
To amount refunded from state for forest fires	52.24
To amount refunded from forest fire claim	12.70
To amount refunded on request of Harvey Rose and wife	25.98
To amount refunded on repairs of Cypher Bridge	28.80
To amount Overpaid Commonwealth costs	9.03
To amount received from maintenance	9.00
To amount received from sheriff, funds, fines and district attorney's fee	31.45
To amount received from fines	9.00
To amount received from costs	50.76
To amount received from rent of old jail	60.00
To amount received from Clingerman note	40.82
To amount received from hunting licenses	15.00
To amount received from Prothonotary, jury fund	12.00
To amount received from sale and redemption of unseated lands	1,241.48
To amount received from disinfectant Alms House	5.00
To amount received from S. K. Moses, 3 strips iron roofing	3.11
To amount received from unseated land tax '04-'05	411.92
To amt. over on November election expenses	9.00
To amt. transferred from sheep fund to county	1,678.22
To balance in treasurer's hands, per auditors' report, 1905	10,616.31
To amount received from sheriff, funds, fines and district attorney's fees	43.44
Total	\$99,729.35

Expenditures	CR.
By amount of commissioners' drafts from 1 to 793, inclusive	\$77,934.67
By draft No. 794, treasurer's salary and commission, 1906	2,465.35
Less total amount of sheep damages	\$80,400.02
By total amount of county and state drafts	\$78,787.37
By 5 per cent. for prompt payment on \$51,515.57	2,575.78
By exonerations on county tax	817.83
By exonerations on state tax	112.82
By amount of non-resident tax returned for 1906	81.37
By amount of unseated land tax returned for 1906	175.62
By amt. of justices' notices	106.22
By amt. of justices' costs	52.82
By commissions to justices	247.64
By outstanding tax for '06	209.69
By balance due treasurer on draft No. 64	2.84
By balance in treasurer's hands, auditors' report of 1906	16,559.25
Total	\$99,729.35

County Prison	DR.
Boarding prisoners and turnkey services	\$512.00
Janitor services	180.00
Light	104.16
Clothing and mds.	41.59
Medicine	17.60
Repairs	128.53
Insurance	5.50
Water rent	125.00
Coal	280.42
Soap, oil, &c	27.90
Total	\$1,533.65

Repairing and enlarging heating plant	300.00
Washing and mending	69.80
Ex-Sheriff Cogan, miscellaneous exps. Dec. 1906	167.75
Dr. J. A. Clark, balance salary for 1906	25.00
Total	\$1,984.75

County Courts	
Grand and petit jurors, filling jury wheel and drawing jury	\$4,300.36
Constables' returns to court	520.91
Court crier and tipstaves	536.44
Joseph P. Imbler, sheriff, attending court	51.00
Stenographer, services	542.70
Boarding jurors, Rose	116.00
Law Librarian's salary	12.50
Aug. 31, 1906	31.59
Inquest costs	26.00
Everett Press, printing court calendar	26.00
Total	\$6,137.50

State Prison, Reformatory and Hospital	
Maintenance, Western penitentiary	\$ 414.64
Maintenance, State hospital	1,887.75
Maintenance, Huntingdon reformatory	564.05
Maintenance, Morgantown reformatory	343.07
Conveying inmates to State prison	261.52
Conveying inmates to State hospital	262.85
Conveying inmates to Huntingdon reformatory	15.79
Conveying inmates to Morgantown reformatory	118.15
In re lunacy proceedings	226.89
Total	\$4,194.71

Court House Expenses	
Fuel	\$180.70
Light	241.93
Water rent	125.00
Repairing and labor	168.24
Telephone service	46.95
Plumbing	136.04
Hardware, 1 hole m, blind &c	54.77
Wood and brooms	12.50
Freight on coal	28.63
Repairs to law library	16.40
Disinfectant	34.30
Steam heat, Co. Superintendent's office	73.00
Costs, Sheriff Imbler vs. Co. Com.	34.55
Adding and listing machine	375.00
Total	\$1,528.01

Miscellaneous Expenses	
State tax to Commonwealth	\$7,388.35
Rent district atty's office	60.00
Janitor 1905	1.00
Auditing recorder and prothonotary accounts	15.00
Recording oaths and bonds county officers	16.60
Burial expenses, indigent soldiers	1,000.00
Headstones, indigent soldiers	255.25
Constables, visiting distillers	17.96
Disinfectant	26.30
Repairs, side walk, library, &c	50.98
Ice, '05, \$3.54; '06, \$5.68	9.20
Agricultural society	100.00
School directors' meeting	100.00
County institute	200.00
Hardware, &c	43.10
W. B. Filler, Co. Treas., unseated land deeds	156.00
W. B. Filler, Co. Treas., postage for 1906	13.23
Inquest, James B. Miller	33.52
Hauling coal to court house and jail	8.32
Geo. W. Derrick, prothonotary fees	605.00
39 deeds, commissioners' sale unseated land	35.00
Acknowledging deeds	7.00
Taxes refunded (account fires and double assessments)	45.99
Express, postage and box rent	16.81
Freight on paint, disinfectant, &c	12.92
Ink and mullage	5.65
Spouting and repairing old jail roof	40.49
Ex-commissioners signing report	17.00
Winding and repairing town clock	20.00
Law library, from costs and fines	522.58
Repairs to law library	17.96
Dues to Com. Association	5.00
Lithograph signatures, Co. commissioners	2.53
Total	\$10,848.74

Liabilities	
Bonded indebtedness	\$50,000.00
Total	\$50,000.00
Assets	
Balance in hands of county treasurer	\$16,559.25
Balance due from taxes, etc., 1906, 1905, 1904, 1903, 1901, 1900, 1898, 1897 and 1896	720.98
Balance due from unseated land taxes 1906	175.62
Total	\$17,455.85
Liabilities in excess of assets	\$32,544.15

We, the undersigned Commissioners of Bedford County, do hereby certify that the foregoing report of the receipts and expenditures of the county shows a correct and true statement of the year ending December 31, 1906.

## HUNTINGDON & BROAD TOP MOUNTAIN RAILROAD.

In effect November 26, 1906.			
NORTH STATIONS.		SOUTH STATIONS.	
p. m. a. m. Lv.	Ar. a. m. p. m.	p. m. a. m. Lv.	Ar. a. m. p. m.
5.05	9.40	Mt. Dallas	10.25 7.15
5.08	9.43	Everett	10.22 7.12
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## THAT HADERMAN FEE

The opinion handed down this week by Judge Woods in the matter of the appeal of the County Commissioners from the report of the County Auditors in reference to the Cypher bridge \$500 fee of Attorney R. C. Haderman is now a matter of record.

The opinion is lengthy and gives a number of reasons for not framing an issue and for dismissing the appeal.

In the opinion the Court states: "There is no evidence nor does the record show that there was exception entered or objection taken by any one, before the County Auditors object to the allowance of the aforesaid voucher No. 473, etc."

From the minutes of the County Auditors, page 101, we copy the following: "Auditor E. A. Hershberger then made a motion to reject order 473 for (\$500) Five Hundred Dollars, in favor of R. C. Haderman for services as atty. in Cypher Bridge Case. Motion was seconded by A. J. Shaffer, the vote for same being yea, A. A. Hershberger; nay, Lewis Pittman and A. J. Shaffer."

The Commissioners are now at the end of their string but they have done their duty in trying to have the fee recovered to the county.

## ROSE'S SENTENCE

Henry Rose has at last been sentenced to pay the penalty of his crime but "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" has not been exacted from him.

When he was on trial and a considerable amount of evidence had been taken it was thought by everybody that the verdict would either be murder in the first degree or acquittal, for it seemed clear that a deliberate plot had been laid to take the life of the village blacksmith. He was placing shoes upon the hoofs of Henry Rose's horse; a heavy thud was heard; the horse was turned out upon the street without an attendant and was later taken from the street by Henry Rose; when darkness fell upon the community a man was seen dragging a limp body from a side door which, upon seeing that he was discovered, he took back to the shop; the alarm of fire aroused the community; the fire had made considerable headway and all efforts to save the building were in vain; the red-hot skull of a man was discovered in the flames, which disintegrated when water was turned on the spot; later the charred remains of a man were removed from the spot—a body so badly burned that it could not be identified as the body of James B. Miller and the expert testimony of a physician was necessary to establish the fact that it was part of a human body.

A note of considerable size was entered against the murdered man by Henry Rose and he was arrested on charge of forgery; later he was arrested on charge of murder and he was tried on the latter charge in September of last year and convicted of murder in the first degree. A motion for a new trial was immediately made and testimony was subsequently taken.

On Wednesday the attorneys of the convicted criminal asked the court for permission to withdraw the plea of "not guilty," which permission was granted; the aged prisoner was brought into court and entered a new plea of "guilty," whereupon the Court fixed the degree as "second" and sentenced Henry Rose to pay costs of prosecution and a fine of five dollars and to 20 years in the Western Penitentiary; at the completion of this sentence he is to serve an additional 10 years for his admitted forgery.

The Gazette has all through the

period from the killing of James B. Miller on May 22, 1905, refrained from making any comment; we have simply given a synopsis of the evidence, but we do not hesitate to remark here, after the conclusion of the whole matter, that it all seems very strange to the lay mind, for from the evidence the murder was coolly and deliberately premeditated, and the admission of forgery at Wednesday's session of court furnishes the motive. It was the taking of the life of James B. Miller in order to fraudulently secure his property—and the man who did it is guilty of second degree murder only! The deliberations of a jury have come to naught. Such proceedings have too frequently caused enraged communities to disregard the mandates of the law and administer to criminals measure for measure.

## Birthday Party

A most enjoyable event was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaffer, near Belden, the evening of February 25, it being the 42nd birthday of Mr. Shaffer. His many friends resolved not to let this day pass by without giving him a grand surprise and they succeeded most admirably. The large gathering on this occasion evidenced the high esteem in which Mr. Shaffer is held and that he has a host of friends.

The evening was pleasantly spent with music, innocent games, and other amusements. At about 10 o'clock a most elaborate meal was served, consisting of cake, candies and ice cream, which the most fastidious could not help but enjoy. At a late hour the party left, wishing Mr. Shaffer many more happy returns. He was the recipient of many useful presents.

The following were present to enjoy the event: Mrs. Michael Zimmers, Harry Zimmers and wife, Frank Zimmers, wife and two children, Mrs. Ella Dillman and children, Annie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Morehead, Misses Belle, Grace and May Carpenter, and Mamie Hogeland, George, Smith and Robert Hogeland, Misses Mamie Morehead, Mary Shaffer, Margaret Imbler, Lottie and Eva Bridgman, Michael Dibert, Frank Smith and Mr. Shaffer's pastor, Rev. J. W. Lingle.

## Road Engines

To the Editor of The Gazette: At the request of citizens I introduced a bill in the Senate, the purpose of which is to restrain the use of traction engines on the public highways of the state. As the terms of the bill seem not to be understood I desire, through the press of the country, to inform the public as to its import.

The bill by its provisions prohibits the use of traction engines for the hauling of freight, any merchantable commodity, on the public highways, but permits the use of the highways of the state for the purpose of transporting traction engines with their accompanying machinery from one location of operation to another. This clause permits the use of the highways to steam threshing and for the moving of sawmills, drilling machines and other like machinery from one location or site of operation to another. The purpose of the bill is to save the roads from extraordinary use.

Wm. C. Miller.

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Train No. 29, known as the 18-hour special between New York and Chicago, was wrecked at a sharp curve near Mineral Point, five miles east of Johnstown, about midnight last Friday.

The entire train was derailed, three of the four Pullman cars being hurled over the embankment into the Conemaugh river but were not submerged. The train is said to have been traveling at the rate of 70 miles an hour and the fact that none of the passengers were killed is miraculous. Of the 54 passengers, 45 were injured. Two employees and three were arrested on the charge of looting passengers after the wreck.

## Marriage Licenses

Ross L. Shippey and Mary E. Shaffer, of New Buena Vista.

John William Golden of Hopewell and Barbara Ellen Roudabush of Hopewell township.

Harry C. Zimmers and Nellie Hershberger, of Bedford township.

George Franklin Stambaugh of St. Clairsville and Binnie Imbler of Osterburg.

Ralph Nelson Bender and Minnie Alice Claycomb, of East St. Clair township.

Cleve Swoope and Lizzie Williams, of Broad Top.

Larence Wesley Streepy and Anna Shinn, of Saxton.

## Wolfsburg Circuit

Services on March 3 as follows: Missionary day at Rainsburg at 10:30 a. m.; preaching at Trans Run at 2:30 p. m.; evangelistic services at Wolfsburg at 7:30 p. m. Revival meetings will begin at Burning Bush on March 4, Monday evening, unless other announcements are made.

E. C. Kobach, Pastor.

## WASHINGTON LETTER

Communication From our Regular Correspondent

## A POLITICAL REFUGEE

Held in Texas—Peabody Fund for Southern Educational Institutions Held Up.

Washington, D. C., February 26.—In spite of the opposition of the big manufacturing interests, the Child Labor problem is going to be investigated. The committee on Judiciary of the House reported adversely, very adversely on Senator Beveridge's bill proposing to control the products of child labor through the Interstate Commerce Act. But the President had made up his mind decisively that if there were close to 2,000,000 child bread winners in this country, many, if not most of them, employed in unsanitary work, it was a matter that ought to be investigated. So he directed that the investigation proceed, and now there has come another hitch over the matter—Representative Tawney of the House Committee on Appropriations wanting to put the labor on the Census Bureau, and the President claiming that it naturally comes within the province of the Commissioner of Labor.

It so happens that both the Census Bureau and the Labor Commission are under the Department of Commerce and Labor, and on an appeal being made to Secretary Strauss of the Department of Commerce and Labor, he naturally agreed with the President that the Commissioner of Labor was the man who ought to do the work. The matter was even submitted to Director North of the Census Bureau, and he said that while he had the machinery for doing the work it was a matter that naturally belonged to the Commissioner of Labor, and he hoped Neill would be assigned to the work. Charles P. Neill is the man, by the way, who, in company with James B. Reynolds, did the original inquiry in Chicago that stirred up all the trouble over the Packington situation. He is a young man, very quiet, but one of the sort that does things, and he is a friend of the President, which counts for a good deal in the reliance that Mr. Roosevelt will put on his report. So it is likely that after all Mr. Neill will have the job looking into the labor situation, and there is not the least question that after he has made a report on it there will be some energetic motions made from the White House that will force legislative action at the next session of Congress.

## A Political Refugee

The federal government has a nice little problem on its hands in the case of one Mr. Vilarea, a citizen of Mexico, who is now being held at El Paso subject to deportation under the Immigration Regulations. There has been more or less written about Mr. Vilarea in the papers lately, but the delicate position that the government is placed in has never been explained. It seems that Vilarea headed one of the numerous unsuccessful revolutionary movements in Mexico recently and is badly wanted by the Mexican government. The Mexican government has an effective, if not very nice, way of disposing of political agitation by taking the agitator out and shooting him and saying nothing more about it. Of course this government does not give up political refugees to Mexico or any other power. That is one of our habits and has gotten us some desirable and more undesirable citizens who had left their country for their country's good.

But in the present case, the situation was complicated by the fact that the unsuccessful revolutionist had killed a man some time ago down in Mexico and had been put to jail for it. Just how justifiable the circumstances were has not developed, but Vilarea was convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude and hence was not admissible to this country under the immigration regulations. Then the question arose. If he was sent back to Mexico he undoubtedly would be taken out and shot as a revolutionist. Of course, we did not want to give up a political refugee, but he could not come in as an immigrant. So what were we to do? The State Department and the Immigration Bureau have been chewing over the matter for some months and Mr. Vilarea is still in jail. It has been suggested to them that if he is to be deported, it had better be about midnight and nothing said to anyone till the next day. Or he might be taken a few hundred miles west of El Paso and shoved over the border, in which case he would stand some show of getting away. But in the interests of pure sport, it looks as though he ought to be given "game law" and that he will not get if he is turned loose in the grasp of the Mexican Government.

## Educational Institutions Must Wait

Southern educational institutions will be a good deal disappointed at the decision of the Peabody Trustees, who met in Washington this week, not to release any of the funds now in their possession in aid of southern education. The money amounts to about \$2,300,000 and was left by George Peabody of London, his library fame antedating that of Mr. Carnegie. The fund has been accumulating since 1867 and now amounts to a goodly sum. The trustees will eventually distribute it to educational institutions, mostly in the south, and it was thought that this would be done at their meeting in Washington this week. But they remained in session all day and then announced that they would keep the matter under advisement till their next meeting in November. So the schools and colleges that had hoped to benefit will have to wait awhile. But the money eventually will come to them.

Signals and Safety Devices

There is now a little appropriation

of \$50,000, but of very great interest to everyone, held up in Congress. It is to enable the Interstate Commerce Commission to make practical tests of railway signals and safety devices in general with the view to recommending their adoption by the railroads. The Commission has never before had any money to experiment with in this way, but the increasing frequency of railroad collisions and the attendant loss of life and property has made it almost imperative that something should be done in this line. The chances are that the appropriation will be defeated at the present session, but there is hope that it will pass in the next Congress and inventors of safety appliances will have a chance to get their systems of protection tested free and given the stamp of government approval if they prove worthy.

## Bakery Changes Hands

W. E. Shoemaker and E. E. England have purchased the bakery and business of C. W. Thompson and take possession today. The Gazette welcomes the new firm into the business arena of the town. We feel assured that they will make a success of the venture for they are both men who merit success.

Mr. Thompson has most successfully conducted the business here since the retirement of his father, several years ago. He is a young man of business ability and energy, and will make some branch of business "hum" in some other locality.

## Blackburn Milling Company

A new firm which will carry on a general milling business at Cessna has just been formed under the firm name of Blackburn Milling Company, of which A. C. Blackburn is President, Elias Blackburn, Secretary, and J. E. Blackburn, Treasurer. They will fit up the warehouse formerly occupied by A. C. Blackburn at Cessna with modern machinery so as to make it one of the largest and best equipped steam mills in the county. They will begin operating in three or four weeks and the mill will be in charge of J. E. Blackburn, now of near Point.

## Zimmers-Hershberger

At the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, Bedford, on Wednesday, February 27, Rev. M. L. Culler united in marriage Harry C. Zimmers of R. F. D. 2, Bedford, and Miss Nellie Hershberger of Cessna. Mr. Zimmers is a son of George Zimmers and his bride is the accomplished daughter of William Hershberger of Bedford township.

## Stambaugh-Imbler

At St. Clairsville on Sunday, February 24, Rev. J. H. Diehl united in marriage George F. Stambaugh of St. Clairsville and Miss Binnie Imbler of Osterburg.

## Result of Shooting Match

The annual shoot of the Bedford Sporting Club was held at the fairgrounds last Friday. A high wind was blowing and the temperature hung around zero. The correct scores are as follows: James Stakem of Midland, Md., 26 out of 31; Harry Farber, 25 out of 31; J. A. Holderbaum, 25 out of 31; James Byrnes of Midland, 12 out of 25; H. K. Fisher, 27 out of 31; J. M. Powell, 26 out of 31; Dr. Walter Enfield, 26 out of 31; S. R. Longenecker 8 out of 13.

## Sulphur Springs Reformed Charge

Services at Mann's Choice Sunday morning, March 3, at 10:30; in the afternoon at Trinity on Dry Ridge at 2:30; at New Buena Vista in the evening at 7 o'clock.

C. W. Warlick, Pastor.

## Lutheran Church Services

On Sunday, March 3, 1907, Bald Hill, 10 a. m.; St. Mark's, 2:30 p. m.

J. W. Lingle, Pastor.

## St. Clairsville Lutheran Pastorate

Services Sunday, March 3, as follows: Cessna at 10 a. m.; Messiah at 2 p. m.; Missionary meeting at St. Clairsville, 7 p. m.

J. H. Diehl, Pastor.

## Dunning's Creek Reformed Charge

Pleasant Hill: Preaching Sunday 10 a. m.; catechetical lecture, 11 a. m.

B. F. Bausman, Pastor.

## Death Through a Tarantula

One of the quickest and most complete and justifiable killings that ever I saw came about through tarantula. It was at a mine camp, and the camp bully had a tarantula impaled on a stick. A man newly arrived from the east stood gazing, fascinated with horror, at the scurrying reptile, working its black fangs in the effort to reach something that it could fasten them into. Suddenly, without warning, the bully thrust the tarantula straight into the tenderfoot's face. His whiskers saved him from the fangs, but he let out a yell as if he had actually been bitten and jumped back. I fully believe, ten feet. Then, as the fellow came poking the tarantula toward him again, the tenderfoot drew his revolver and turned loose on his tormentor. His first shot would have been enough, as it went straight through the fellow's body, but the tenderfoot had his excitement to work off, and he never stopped shooting until his revolver had been emptied and the man with the tarantula was a sieve. "Served him right" was the verdict of the coroner's jury, and the case never went to court for trial.—San Francisco Examiner.

## The Difficulty About Our Composers

"Who is your favorite composer?" inquired the artistic person. "I can't say just at this moment," answered Mr. Cumroff, with an appealing glance at his wife, "but it's somebody whose music I can't remember and whose name I can't pronounce."—Washington Star.

Wicked men cannot be friends either among themselves or with the good.—Socrates.

## BROADBRIM BUDGET

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## COST OF AMUSEMENTS

The Startling Demands of the Opera Singers—Exit Caruso—The Progress of the Thaw Trial.

New York, February 26.—A careful statistician, after a close and thorough investigation, arrived at the conclusion that our amusements cost more in hard cash than the entire expense of the general government, including the army, the navy, judiciary and civil service. Hard labor of any character, mental or physical, needs and deserves relaxation and renewal according to its value in adding to the happiness of all. "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." I believe in this homely couplet; it is cemented in the corner-stone of my social gospel. In the federal compact a man is entitled to the largest liberty in disposing of that which he honestly acquires, providing always that reckless extravagance is not vicious of example and demoralizing in effect. At this point the law steps in and, exercising a right similar to that which supports the law of "Eminent Domain," says to the reckless spend-thrift, "Thus far shalt thou go and no further." Senator Beveridge of Indiana, in an article contributed to Harper's Weekly, asks the startling question, "Is the government of our land to be administered by men of wealth only?" and he further proceeds to prove by a series of facts which deserve the most serious and respectful consideration. As matters stand at present a citizen of moderate means cannot afford a seat in the United States Senate; as prudent a man as Senator Hoar declared that previous to his election to the Senate he had accumulated \$200,000 in the legitimate exercise of his profession, the law, but that when his term expired every dollar of it was gone in addition to his salary. This is deplorable, but it is one of the hard granite facts that tell of the gradual evolution that is now going on not only in the government of the United States, but in everything that concerns man from the cradle to the grave. One thing that may for a time avert the expected calamity is the lower house of Congress, which comes more directly from the people than the Senate and has the supreme advantage of holding the public purse. Without its permission no navy could move, no army could march to battle and the judiciary could sit in the temple of justice while murder and robbery run riot through the land.

No nation can continue in reckless and wicked extravagance and escape the penalty which, with the absolute certainty of fate, is sure to overtake it. Rome met this fate when her domain was the mightiest of the ancient world and her protections and aggressions covered every sea and land. Lucian, unable to spend money fast enough, gives his friends a feast of nightingales' tongues, and a French epicure sounds all the depths of gastronomy to find a dish that would gratify the vitiated palates of his guests and discovers it in the diseased liver of a goose, and the "pate-de-fois-gras" becomes the "pate-de-resistance" on every fashionable table. These thoughts were suggested by a circumstance which took place last week by which we were suddenly brought face to face with the startling question, Whither are we drifting? The day is not far distant toward which we are rapidly drifting, when an enterprising citizen from the north pole, shall sit on a broken cable of our great Brooklyn Bridge and sketch the ruin of our Metropolitan opera house, as Macaulay's "New Zealander" sat on the arch of the London Bridge to sketch the ruins of St. Paul's.

New Yorkers love good music; they want the best that the market affords and they are willing to pay for it liberally. In catering to this wealthy patron, Mr. Abbey, a few years ago, faced a loss of \$100,000; no cry of distress or call for aid went up from the plucky Impresario; he pocketed the deficit and said nothing about it; the rich stock-holders who had enjoyed every opera night in the season, suspected that something was wrong and requested an investigation. As soon as Mr. Abbey's loss was discovered, a benefit was tendered him which netted the magnificent sum of \$45,000 and the remainder of the deficit was made up by the millionaire stock-holders, who were abundantly able to pocket the loss.

The present Impresario, Herr Conrad, has conducted two seasons satisfactorily but the expense has been frightful; several of his singers received \$1,000 a night; and toward the close of his last engagement the tenor received from \$2,000 to \$2,500 for each appearance. The present tenor, Signor Caruso, the hero of the Monkey-House scandal, was said to have been engaged for \$1,000 a night; it did not remain long at that figure; his demand was increased to \$2,000 and last week he sent for Herr Conrad and gave him notice that if he expected to retain his services for another year he demanded \$3,000 for each appearance. Halt! Herr Conrad, let the convicted assaulter of the Monkey-House go; the United States can spare him, and will be morally and socially bettered by his absence. Our mothers, wives and daughters can then visit the Monkey-House without the fear of insults.

Praised be the power that protects us from harm and shields us from danger. We are approaching the end of the loathsome Thaw trial, with all of its horrible details, and we hope and trust we never shall see its like again. District Attorney Jerome has not added to his legal reputation by his cross-examination of the defendant's wife, who, for nearly forty hours has been persecuted by the cruelist legal vivisection that ever wrung the heart of a victim in the

witness chair; there were moments when the questions were so brutal, and the reply was so shocking that it could only be whispered in the prosecutor's ear; and case-hardened reporters, whose sympathies had been dried up and withered by a quarter of a century's duty in police courts bowed their heads in shame and wrote underneath "Unprintable." Broadbrim.

## Deeds Recorded

Benjamin F. Creps to Adam Snider, lot in Hopewell township; \$400. Henry W. Reed to George R. Reed, lot in Snake Spring; nominal.

Josiah Welmer to Hanson Collins, two lots in Monroe; \$350.

A. Hanson Collins to David A. Trail, two lots in Monroe; \$475.

Harry B. Kollar to Albert Bohn, 200 acres in Harrison; \$2,000.

Peter Imbler, by executor, to William S. Barefoot, six lots in King; \$600.

Amos M. Berkheimer to William S. Barefoot, tract in King; \$1,905.

Malinda J. Meek to Reuben E. Thomas, nine acres in Broad Top; \$460.

George B. Croft, by administrator, to Harry Stonerock, tract in Woodbury township; \$69.70.

Charles L. Longenecker to Harry S. Stonerock, tract in Woodbury township; \$245.50.

Jane Pearson, by administrator, to Isabella Cramer, lot in Woodbury; \$500.

David C. Pote to Barbara Fluke, three tracts in Bloomfield; \$1,600.

Jacob Furry, by executor, to Solomon E. Ritchey, tract in Bloomfield; \$166.

L. Zimmerman to John R. Mock, tract in Woodbury township; \$531.48.

J. R. Mock to S. E. Zimmerman, tract in Woodbury township; nominal.

John L. Nycum to George Nycum, 363 acres in Monroe; \$1,800.

George Nycum, by executor, to Russell Jay, 278 acres in Monroe; \$2,475.

Russell Jay to Latta & Shaffer, 238 acres in Monroe; \$2,725.

Marshall M. Ritchey to Esby H. Eoor, tract in East Providence; \$180.

Mary J. Elchberger to Benjamin F. Creps, 10 1/2 acres in Hopewell township; \$600.

W. A. Reininger to G. S. Mowry, 103 acres in West St. Clair; \$3,000.

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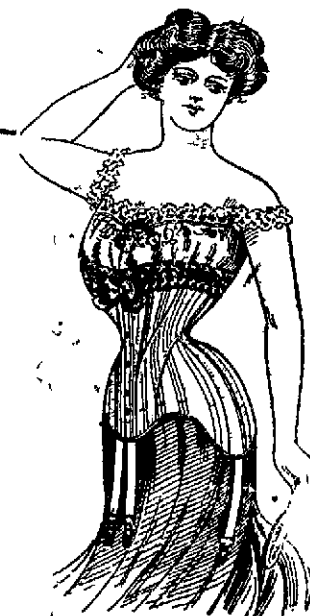
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### PARKERSBURG, W. VA.

#### Correspondent Meets Former Bedford Residents in his Travels.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 28, '07. This is certainly a pretty city of twenty-two thousand and four souls, at least that is what Frank Dunkle told me on George's day, and as it was such a day as February 22, he would not dare to misrepresent the size of the place. Dunkle moved here with his family about three months ago. The family like their new home very much and Mrs. Dunkle seems satisfied, yet one can notice in the conversation a hankering after the big springs of Bedford. Frank is in the lively business; has by far the largest of the eight lively stables in the city. He also boards horses and has about twenty of such now; expects many more in the summer. He has nineteen horses of his own for hire and has hacks galore. They are fine as silk and indeed some of them are lined and upholstered with silk. He has a pair of Arabian milk white horses for a street-car and a few weeks ago a street-car ran into the team while it was going to a funeral, knocking the horses down and cutting the leg off one of them. The horse was shot at once and the street car company paid him for it. Dunkle certainly has a fine place and is doing a big business. The streets and alleys of this city are all paved.

The Ohio river is here and when the rains descend it is a dandy and has no need for anyone. At times the Ohio River is tied up because of the water. Also the little Kennewa river gets its back up and has a corn or pumpkin flood. Several years ago Parkersburg was the center of one of the great oil fields and wells are as plenty between Parkersburg and Marietta, O., as the hair on my black dog's back, but the earth has given up most of its oil to make Rockefeller's thirty-two million gift and probably, because he put a string to it, has ceased to give up its treasure any more. Suffice it to say that oil is scarce and many of the better class of oil men have taken the wings of the morning and gone to Kentucky, where the fields still produce plenty of oil. The city has thus lost many of its great money spenders; the merchants feel it and are sensible enough to acknowledge it.

There are, however, many manufactures here and there is such a great section of country to draw from that Parkersburg will always be a city that feels its importance, whether it has any or not. Don't forget to say that the Dunkles are anxious for old home week, and as Frank has not rented his house on West Pitt street he will entertain them.

Marietta, O., is sixteen miles from Parkersburg. Jim Gilchrist and family live there at 124 South 4th street. They have already sent in their notice to friends that they would be on hand for old home week. Mrs. Gilchrist looks well. Jim looks old and acknowledges that he can't smear as much paint on a day as he could when he lived in Bedford.

If you ask a man in Marietta how long it takes the trolley car to go to Parkersburg, he will say two hours; then ask in Parkersburg how long it takes to go to Marietta and he tells you one hour. Each is correct and the car is on the road the same length of time. Will not some of the school boys tell me why it is thus? I have been having the most delightful weather since I left home. The grass near streams shows the color of the Shamrock and is getting ready for St. Patrick's day. I trust that those at home, as well as all others who will take an interest in the old home week for Bedford county, will get together and organize. Yours truly, M. P. Heckerman.

#### Former Bedford Boy Leads

As to the paid-for business secured during 1906, Harper K. Beegle stood first among the Pittsburgh agents of the Equitable Life Assurance Society and for leading the agency won as a trophy a handsome gold watch offered by Manager Woods.

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Mr. Beegle is well known here and his success will be gratifying to his many friends.

#### Farmers' Institutes

The farmers of this county will be interested to learn that there will be held this year a series of Farmers' Institutes at Trinity Reformed church, Friend's Cove, on March 4 and 5; M. E. church, Breeswood, on March 6 and 7; Reformed church, Yellow Creek, on March 8 and 9. A number of instructors from other parts of the state will be present to join with the farmers of this locality in the discussion of topics relative to agriculture. These meetings are free and open to all, and we have no doubt the farmers of this county will avail themselves of the advantages to be gained by attending these meetings. Program on sixth page.

W. C. Lutz,  
County Chairman of Institutes.

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### ROSE SENTENCED

(Continued from First Page.)

Bedford, petition for order of sale for payment of debts granted, bond in \$2,000 to be given.

Petition of trustees of Trinity Reformed church of Everett for amendment of charter granted.

Estate of Susan Fink, late of Hopewell township, report of Simon H. Sell, Esq., auditor, filed and confirmed.

Estate of Nellie Frances Boyce, petition of guardian for approval of investments, order made.

J. T. Shroyer vs. M. D. Smeltzer, et al., answer of plaintiff filed to rule granted Jacob Bowser, one of the defendants, to show cause why judgment should not be market satisfied as to him.

Margaret Lodge vs. Arthur Browell, petition presented and allowed granting leave to add the name of Thomas Lodge as a plaintiff.

Estate of Joseph Deneen, late of Londonderry, petition of administrator for an order of sale for payment of debts granted.

Estate of Annie M. Wertz, late of Harrison, on petition James C. Russell, Esq., appointed auditor.

Estate of Alice Eshelman, late of South Woodbury, petition of Frank Eshelman and Leone Eshelman for the appointment of a guardian, Colonial Trust Company of Pittsburgh appointed.

Estate of John A. Hickes, late of Huntingdon, petition of Thomas J. Hickes, by his guardian, for an order of sale, granted with bond to be given in \$700.

In re road in Harrison leading from New Baltimore to Mann's Choice, depositions filed.

In re proposed private road in Londonderry, motion to rescind appointment of viewers allowed. In the same matter on petition of citizens of Londonderry for appointment of viewers court appointed George W. Blackburn surveyor and Samuel Geller and M. S. Colvin viewers.

Petition of Henry C. Metzler to have the order annexing his lands to Rainsburg for school purposes annulled, rule granted on School Directors of Rainsburg.

Estate of Jennie M. Buckley, late of Broad Top, election of husband to take under the will filed.

### New Buena Vista

February 26—Sunday, February 24, Ross Shipley and Miss Mary Hillegass, of New Buena Vista, were united in marriage at the Reformed church at Mann's Choice by Rev. C. W. Warlick. The happy couple returned to the home of the groom, where a fine wedding supper awaited them. Quite a number of friends and relatives were present and the evening was pleasantly spent. A number of handsome and useful presents were received. May their journey through life be one of success and wedded bliss is the wish of the writer.

Howard Huffman of Buffalo Mills visited friends here over Sunday. Mrs. Joseph Mowry has been quite ill with rheumatism. Mrs. Smith and Brant are attending her.

Rev. C. W. Warlick of Mann's Choice and Mr. Bardollar of Everett were looking up business in our town one day last week.

Lawrence Housel, who has been working in Cumberland Valley, spent Sunday with his family here.

Rev. Warlick will preach in the church at this place on Sunday, March 3.

Miss Ella Mowry is staying at the home of James Mowry for a few weeks.

Jacob Mowry, John Basore, George Kerr and H. E. Whisker were business visitors to Bedford Monday.

William Turner, who has been ill for about two years, continues to grow weaker. We sincerely hope he may recover his good health.

A moving time comes on it is apparent that there will be a number of changes in and about New Buena Vista.

### Men and Women

A man likes to tell his love to his sweetheart, but will not show it. A woman likes to show her love but not to tell it. Therefore, oh! husband, tell your wife daily and often that you love her, love her, love her, and she will be glad; but do not show it.

If your wife loses her temper try to find it, but do not lose your own; this is important.

A woman likes her husband to be a little jealous. It makes her proud of herself. Do not show too much jealousy, for it will give her too much pride and lead to mischief.

It is better to have a quarrel with your sweetheart or wife and live on matters a little, than to be a tiresome bore and make her think—of the other man.

If she keeps you waiting and begins to apologize when she appears, tell her you would prefer her late than never—but, rather, never late.

If, when you call on your sweetheart, she keeps you waiting, remember that she is trying to make herself prettier for your admiration, and so be content.

Be sure to notice your wife's new hat, gown, coat, what not; she knows you are still interested in her, even to the extent of caring for her appearance.

Be as much a gentleman to your wife as to any other lady.

I know a woman who lost her husband's love by negligence in dress, but I know twenty men who lost the love their wives by carelessness in their appearance.

A woman is as free as a man though married. Give her the same rights you demand.

If you are young and unmarried, select a wife and soon. If you are old and "set in your ways," refrain for what right have you to make an innocent woman unhappy. Be content as you are, as St. Paul advises.

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### Schellsburg

February 26—J. N. Hutton of Harrisburg is visiting friends in town.

Miss Cora Oster of Osterburg spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Williams.

Mrs. R. L. Williams and Mrs. Lyle Egolf spent last Wednesday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Kinton, at Mann's Choice.

Glenn Wolf of Johnstown was home for several days last week.

James Burns of Kegg visited his uncle, J. E. Taylor, Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Griffith and son, of Johnstown, are visiting her parents, D. B. Eay, who is attending school at Huntingdon, spent a short vacation with his parents last week. He has again returned to his studies.

A party of young folks spent Tuesday night at Dr. W. C. Miller's at Bedford.

### Mrs. James Crawford

Mrs. Louisa J., wife of James Crawford, died at her home on last Thursday morning at 4 o'clock, after an illness of several months. She was aged about 56 years. The funeral services were held Saturday morning in the M. E. church, by the pastor of the Albright church to which she belonged. She leaves a husband and six children to mourn her loss.

Joe Miller has been gripped by that dread disease, La Grippe.

The exercises given Friday afternoon by the schools were fine; quite a number of visitors were present.

The program rendered by the students of the Seminary last Thursday evening was very good and was listened to by a large and appreciative audience. The festival which was held after the entertainment and which was continued Friday evening was well attended.

The program of the evening was as follows:

Chorus ..... Thro' Sylvan Glades  
Solo ..... Spinning Lay  
Recitation ..... Barbara Freitche  
Miss Hull  
Duet ..... Spanish Dance  
Misses Fitzimons and Bowser  
Solo ..... Out in the Wilds  
Recitation ..... Miss Fitzimons  
Miss Wolfe  
Solo ..... Cypsy Fireside  
Duet, Intermezze from Cavalleria  
Rusticana  
Miss Colvin and Mrs. Ross  
Chorus ..... Love's Old Sweet Song  
Solo ..... Barcarolle  
Recitation, The Little Hatchet Story  
Miss Crissey  
Solo ..... Bell Flowers  
Miss Whitmore  
Solo ..... The Spinning Girl  
Mrs. Ross  
Trio ..... An Old Fashioned Dance  
Misses Whitmore, Crissey and Mrs. Ross  
Reading with Tableau, Miles Standish  
Mrs. Johnston  
Characters in Tableau:  
Priscilla ..... Miss Winona Taylor  
Miles Standish ..... Mr. William Colvin  
John Alden ..... Mr. Edgar Johnston  
Wedding Guests ..... Other Students  
Anonymous.

### Point

February 26—Our friend and neighbor, T. R. Studebaker, is taking a vacation and spending a week with his son, Ross, in Windber.

Mrs. Barbara Black and son, Eugene, returned home last week from a month's visit to Altoona, Johnstown and Dunlo.

D. W. McGregor of near Hyndman was the guest of the family of Oscar Diehl on Thursday last.

The sale at Oscar Diehl's last Thursday was well attended. Pleasantville, Cessna and Schellsburg were well represented. The family of Mr. Diehl left on Monday for their new home near Gettysburg.

Walter Jay of Dry Ridge paid the family of Joseph McCreary a visit on Saturday, returning home on Sunday.

Irvin Caltenbaugh of Johnstown paid his friends a visit from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hillegass and Mrs. Barbara Black are added to the sick list with gripp.

Miss Myrtle Cable has been suffering intensely with a very sore finger for the last week. It is reported better at this time.

Charles Pensyl, who bought the Charles Cleaver farm, lately vacated by Preston Blackburn, moved on the property last Thursday. Mr. Pensyl and wife have just gone to house-keeping. We welcome them in our community.

William Hazlett had sale on Saturday of his personal property and will move to Windber today.

It snowed all day Sunday and there was no travel on the road by church-goers or visitors, everybody appeared to be content to stay indoors.

M. C. King is having his ice house filled.

Elmer Gordon shot a large gray fox last Thursday; this makes the third or fourth fox that Elmer and his dog have caught this winter.

D. Forest Deane is seriously ill at his home in Spring Hope. Hooker.

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### Imbertown

February 26—Mrs. David Powell and little daughter, of Pittsburg, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Aaron Cobler.

Mrs. Dr. Dibert, who had been seriously ill at her home, is slowly improving.

Miss Della Bagley of Pleasant Valley spent Sunday with Miss Edna Davis.

Mrs. Charles Theurach of Altoona was calling upon friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stickler are suffering with slight attacks of La Grippe.

Miss Margaret Brightbill of Bedford was the guest of Mrs. Job Imbler last Wednesday.

Prof S. T. Barclay, who resigned his position as principal of the schools at this place will go to Huntingdon on Wednesday. Clark Anderson of Cessna took his place.

Walter Kegg of Charlesville spent Sunday with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Imbler.

Mrs. Charles Imbler and son spent a few days in Roaring Spring last week. Teddy.

### Fyan

February 26—Sledding and sleighing are again in full blast since the recent snow.

James Bence, after spending two years in the west and in Johnstown, returned home on Wednesday and is now spending a few days with his parents, relatives and friends.

Mrs. Franklin Beener, who has been on the sick list for some time, is reported as now better.

Miss Ada Bence of Sewickley is visiting her father, John C. Bence, near here.

Harry Fisher and his brother, Irvin, of Smoky Ridge, made a business mission through our vicinity Saturday.

Andy Sawley, Forest Hillegass and Simon McCreary spent Thursday evening with S. C. Mowry and family. Ross and Mick Hillegass recently opened a blacksmith and wagon maker shop. They are now ready to accommodate their customers. Give them a call. Good work done on a cheap scale.

Elmer McCreary was transacting business at Schellsburg on Friday.

John, the two and one-half year old son of John Bence, is seriously ill at this writing with typhoid pneumonia.

James Bence and sisters, Ada and Rita, spent Saturday afternoon with Henry McKinney and family.

William Fisher and family moved to near Schellsburg Thursday.

### "Uncle Tom."

### Defiance

February 27—George Lynn, who was recently burned out at Saxton, has gone to housekeeping again at No. 11 Main street, Defiance.

The entertainment given in the M. E. church at this place last night by Mr. and Mrs. Labadie, of Philadelphia, was a decided success. It was of a high class and was instructive as well as entertaining. They are artists in their profession. Everybody was highly pleased. The characters of "Shylock" and "Portia" being exceptionally appreciated. We expect Mr. and Mrs. Labadie back some time in April or May to give us another entertainment.

The Six Mile Run Male Quartet rendered several selections at the Broad Top Brotherhood meeting last Friday night.

Miss Esther Fletcher was a business visitor at Everett between trains last Saturday.

John Ford, constable of Hopewell borough, called on several of our young men on Tuesday of this week.

### New Paris

February 26—Charles Ling of Altoona is home for a few days.

J. Warren Mickel of Juniata College spent a few days at home.

John Shoenfelt of Weyant was the guest of his uncle, G. K. Shoenfelt, on Sunday.

C. W. Blackburn of Point was a pleasant caller in our vicinity a few days ago.

Harvey Wendell and Newton Caplin, of Windber, were calling on old friends on Saturday and Sunday.

Collector E. S. Manges of Napier township was in our locality gathering the delinquent taxes not long since.

The Misses Maud Watkins, Alice Knisely, Viola Barefoot and Mary Clark, of Alum Bank, were welcome visitors in our vicinity over Sunday.

Harvey Logus and family have moved to our village on Chestnut street. Wesley Miller has moved in the tenement house of H. I. Taylor.

The union meeting is now in progress in the Evangelical church, and a good interest is manifested among the Christian workers.

The Rev. J. E. Ott is holding a protracted meeting at Ryot. During its progress there have been seven conversions and others still seeking.

Caj.

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Fourteen thousand five hundred dollars a day for every working day in the year is Aberdeen's pay roll. Size considered, it has a larger pay roll than any other city on the American continent. Six hundred and eight ocean vessels cleared from Gray's Harbor last year. The Northern Pacific Railroad has done much to throw this country into the circle of the world's interests and activities. The agricultural possibilities of logged-off lands have received little attention. Dairy and garden products find an eager market here. Green pasture every month in the year must make of this an excellent dairy country in time. To the capable man western Washington has proven itself worthy of its trust. The wonderful growth of its various industries, its mining, lumber and agricultural wealth have attracted much attention. Intense rivalry, however, has characterized its growth. Local pride has striven fiercely for the superiority of its particular section, bringing into being various Booster Clubs,—organizations of live, up-to-

date men, whose enthusiasm and energy have made the west what it now is. Aberdeen possesses every attribute of a city three times its size. It has a well organized Chamber of Commerce that is constantly on the look-out for the betterment of their city by encouraging new and novel industries.

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A little cream of tartar or vinegar improves boiled frosting. It will not grain so readily, and will be more creamy and will not harden.

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A white straw hat may be cleansed to look like new by taking half an ounce of oxalic acid to one cup of water; apply with an old tooth brush, rinsing in clean water, and dry.

#### Of Interest to Women

Every woman naturally should be healthy and strong, but a great many women, unfortunately, are not, owing to unnatural condition of the liver. We lead Headache, backache and a general tired condition are prevalent amongst the women of today, and to relieve these conditions women rush to the druggists for a bottle of some preparation supposed to be particularly for them, and containing—no body knows what. If they would just get a box of Brandreth's Pills, and take them regularly every night for a time, all their trouble would disappear, as these pills regulate the organs of the feminine system. The same dose always has the same effect, no matter how long they are used. Brandreth's Pills have been in use for over a century and are sold in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar-coated.

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## FARMERS' INSTITUTE PROGRAMS

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Monday Afternoon, March 4, 1907

Called to Order at 1:30 p. m. By Institute  
Singing ..... D. H. Watts  
The Silo and Why Profitable ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Feeding for the Best Production of Milk ..... J. S. Burns  
Breeding and Care of Swine ..... Dr. A. Enfield  
Question Box

Educational Session 7:30 P. M.

Music .....  
Address ..... County Supt. J. Anson Wright  
Rectification ..... Miss Grace R. Hunt  
Nature Study in Country Schools ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Chickens, Ducks and Geese: Their Care, Feeding and Profit. Food  
Value of Eggs and Fowls as a Diet ..... Dr. A. Enfield  
Question Box

TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 1907

Morning Session 9 O'Clock

Address ..... Ross F. Lee  
Apple Orchard and Its Care ..... D. H. Watts  
Soil Fertility and How to Retain It ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Sheep Husbandry ..... J. S. Burns  
Question Box

Afternoon Session 1:30 O'Clock

Utilizing the Whole Value of Farm Manure ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Gilt-Edge Butter: How to Make and Sell It ..... D. H. Watts  
Corn: Preparation of Soil and Cultivation ..... J. S. Burns  
Question Box

Evening Session 7:30 O'Clock

Music .....  
The Farmer and His Wife ..... J. S. Burns  
Music .....  
The Farmer and the Future ..... D. H. Watts

M. E. CHURCH, BREEZEWOOD, PA.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 1907

Afternoon Session 2 O'Clock

Music .....  
Prayer ..... Rev. H. M. Petrea  
Music .....  
Address of Welcome ..... F. P. Barton  
Response ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Corn Breeding and Selection of Seed ..... J. S. Burns  
Music .....  
Soil, the Seed-bed and Plant ..... D. H. Watts  
Soil Fertility and How to Retain It ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Question Box

Educational Session 7:30 P. M.

Music .....  
The Farmer and the Future ..... D. H. Watts  
Music .....  
Nature Study in Country Schools ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Music .....  
Education for Country Children ..... J. S. Burns  
Music .....  
Address, Prof. J. Anson Wright, Supt. of Schools of Bedford Co.  
Music

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1907

Morning Session 9 O'Clock

Music .....  
Prayer ..... Rev. C. F. Weise  
Music .....  
Cattle Feeding ..... J. S. Burns  
Utilizing the Whole Value of Farm Manure ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Music .....  
Apple Orchard and Its Care ..... D. H. Watts  
Spraying for Insects and Fungus Diseases ..... Ross F. Lee  
Question Box

Afternoon Session 2 O'Clock

Music .....  
Modern Methods of Milk Handling ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Music .....  
Gilt-Edge Butter: How to Make and Sell It ..... D. H. Watts  
Music .....  
Breeding and Care of Swine ..... J. S. Burns  
Chickens, Ducks and Geese: Their Care, Feeding and Profit. Food  
Value of Eggs and Fowls as a Diet ..... Dr. A. Enfield  
Question Box

Evening Session 7 O'Clock

Music .....  
Farm Buildings and Blunders ..... D. H. Watts  
Music .....  
The Farmer and His Wife ..... J. S. Burns  
Music .....  
Economic Feeding of the Farmer's Family, Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Music .....  
Adjournment

M. N. STAILY,  
A. C. CLEVELAND,  
S. J. PEE,  
Committee.

YELLOW CREEK, PA.

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1907

Afternoon Session 1:30 O'Clock

Music .....  
Address of Welcome ..... H. W. Cogan  
Response ..... J. S. Burns  
Soil, the Seed-bed and Plant ..... D. H. Watts  
Question Box

Evening Session 7:30 O'Clock

Music .....  
Cattle Feeding ..... J. S. Burns and E. C. Whitehill  
Music .....  
Economic Summer Feeding of Cows ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke  
Music .....  
Question Box

SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 1907

Morning Session 9 O'Clock

Music .....  
Gilt-Edge Butter: How to Make and Sell It ..... D. H. Watts  
Home Influence ..... J. S. Burns  
Chickens, Ducks and Geese: Their Care, Feeding and Profit. Food  
Value of Eggs and Fowls as a Diet ..... Dr. A. Enfield  
Question Box

Afternoon Session 2 O'Clock

Music .....  
Address ..... R. E. Smith  
Apple Orchard and Its Care ..... D. H. Watts  
Insects on Apples ..... Ross F. Lee  
Music .....  
Question Box

Evening Session 7:30 O'Clock

Music .....  
Address ..... Valentine Fink  
The Silo and Why Profitable ..... D. H. Watts  
Breeding and Care of Swine ..... J. S. Burns  
Economic Buying of Stock Foods ..... Prof. Wells W. Cooke

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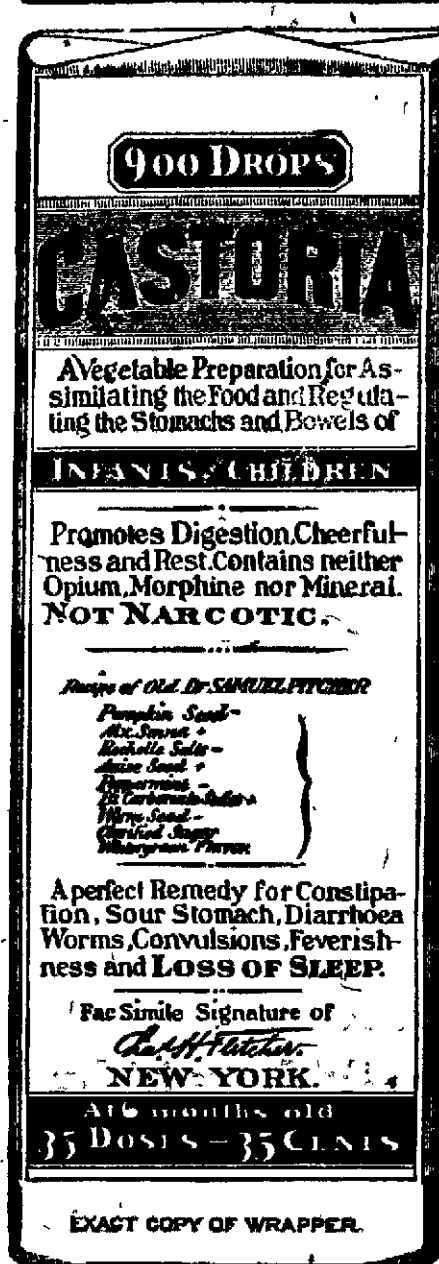
ASK QUESTIONS—A question box will be kept upon the Secretary's desk, and all are invited to place therein such questions as they may wish to have discussed during the session. At the proper times, designated by the meeting, these questions will be referred to some one for answer, or brought up for general discussion.

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#### AUDITOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of Edward H. Whetstone, late of Bedford Township, Deceased.]

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bedford county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of H. Grant Diehl, administrator of Edward H. Whetstone, deceased, and amongst those legally entitled to receive the same, will sit at the Court House, in the Borough of Bedford, on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purposes of his appointment, when and where all parties interested may appear if they see fit, or be forever debarred from participating in said distribution.

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E. M. PENNELL, Attorney. Feb. 15-3t.

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## PASTOR DISCUSSES

## The Injustice and Unfairness of Taxing Parsonages

By Rev. M. L. Culler.

The members of the Legislature of the great state of Pennsylvania who passed the act requiring parsonages to be taxed were either very poorly informed as to the mission and work of the church, or must have been influenced by some unreasonable enmity toward the church. In charity I am inclined to believe the former, and that the majority of the legislators, when the bill was passed in 1871, were not influenced by enmity toward the church, but were in thoughtless ignorance of the nature and mission of the church.

And since the act was passed, 31 years ago, and has never been enforced in this country, I am unwilling to believe that the former Commissioners of Bedford were less law-abiding than the present honorable men who occupy that office, the question naturally arises to ask what spell of legal righteousness has impelled them? Who, or what, has moved them to instruct the assessors to assess parsonages, owned by the various churches of the county, as homes for their pastors, and from which they receive no money remuneration?

I do not hesitate to say that the law, as it now stands, is unjust and unfair and ought to be repealed or amended, for the following reasons:

1. Because the membership of the various congregations, in addition to paying taxes on their own private property, are by this act of Assembly, required also to pay taxes on their church property from which they derive no money remuneration whatever. For why do the churches generally own parsonages? It is solely because they find it more economical to pay their pastors a certain fixed amount as the free use of a house, as part of their salary. Every business man and intelligent person sees the wisdom and prudence of this plan.

2. The church is now and always has been a benevolent institution, and for this reason all church property from which is no money revenue, ought to be exempt from taxation. Hospitals, orphan's homes and other benevolent institutions are not taxed. The church has always promoted the cause of education for all the people. All congregations have their Sunday schools to train the children of the church, and all other children whom they can reach, and whose parents are not members of any church, in the principles of the Christian religion, in pure morality, and those elements of character necessary to make good and useful citizens.

The church has always established institutions of learning everywhere, colleges, seminaries, academies. And this she did before the states made provision for any schools. The church has always been the pioneer in education. The idea of our common schools was borrowed from the Parochial schools of the church. Infidels cannot point to one college or institution of learning as their work.

3. The churches build and support orphan's homes, train deaconesses to engage in works of mercy, caring for the sick and poor and the afflicted. Homes for the aged, hospitals, infirmaries, and asylums are everywhere established and supported by the churches.

All the congregations of Bedford county and other counties of the state, annually contribute amounts of money, ranging, according to their ability, from \$100 to \$1,000 or more for benevolent work. Some of this money is for the orphan's homes, some for educating worthy poor young men for the Gospel ministry, and other charities; some for building churches in all parts of our country that the people may have the gospel, and some for sending and supporting missionaries and schools and hospitals in India, Africa, China, Japan and in other unchristian or heathen countries.

4. The members of our churches, in every city, town, village and community are constantly performing the deeds of good Samaritans. When there are cries of distress and need whose ears hear, these cries and

whose hands are open to relieve this distress? Not, as a rule, the people who do not love Jesus and His church, but the members of churches. At every Thanksgiving service held in Bedford an offering is taken which is placed in the hands of a committee of intelligent and pious Christian women for the relief of the need of the worthy poor of our town. Every Christian minister of every denomination is often called upon to visit the sick and bury the dead of those who are not members of any church. They never refuse to render such service, though most frequently there is no remuneration, yet all ministers render this service cheerfully. And should any minister refuse (which God forbid) those who care nothing for the church would be the first ones to condemn them. I have officiated at the funerals of persons who, while they lived, spent their breath in sneering at religion and finding fault with the church.

The church with its salutary and moral influence is the conservator of life and property. Every man's property is made more valuable by the presence of the church. Who would desire to live in a town in which there is no church? The state is greatly indebted to the church for the moral and wholesome influence which it exerts in every community. There can be no morality without the sanction of religion. Religion keeps the moral sense. Even the infidel, Voltaire, said: "If there is no God the state must invent one to keep alive the moral sense of the people."

In view of all that I have written, and much more might be said, I repeat that it is unjust, unfair and ungrateful on the part of the state to lay this burden of taxation upon the churches when they are doing a work so gracious and so benevolent in its nature.

## Advertised Letters

The following letters have been held thirty days in the Bedford, Pa., postoffice, and if not called for within two weeks from this date will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington. When asking for these letters please say, "Advertised":

Oscar Brown, Henry Taylor, N. F. Lengel, J. M. Hartley, D. H. Shannahan, H. B. Whitcomb, E. J. Whitfield, D. D. Willman, Neculae Vutin; Mrs. Lloyd R. Replogle, Mrs. Mary Klinger, Mrs. Beckie McClellan.

John Lutz, P. M.

Bedford, Pa. March 1, 1907.

## LETTER TO A. HOFFMAN

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Dear Sir: It is a great thing for a merchant to have the exclusive sale

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Devoe is the paint that takes least gallons and costs least money, a house, a job, a year, a lifetime—no matter how you reckon your costs, except by the gallon—Devoe is the best care-taker and costs least money. Don't forget that the principal part of the cost of paint is putting it on. Less gallons, less cost. Don't forget that another principal part of economy is long wear; less gallons, less cost and long wear.

It is a great thing to have the exclusive sale of popular goods, of goods that make friends, of goods that enrich both buyer and seller. Devoe is perhaps only ten per cent better than one or two others; but ten is a plenty—it's 200 or 800 better than many.

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## SALE REGISTER

All persons having sale bills printed at this office get a free notice in the sale register. This is worth several times the price of the bills.

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On Wednesday, March 13, at 12:30 o'clock, on the M. Lippel farm north of Beiden, S. W. Amick will sell the following personal property: Four good mares, 4-year-old mare, 3-year-old horse, 4 cows, heifer, 3 wagons, buggy, Deering binder, Osborne mower, hay rake, plows, 2 fanning-mills, cultivators, harrows, harness, sleds, cutting-box, hay, corn, and household furniture.

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## ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court, the undersigned executor of the last will, etc., of Mary A. Milburn, late of Bedford borough, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, in Bedford borough, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1907.

at one o'clock p. m., the real estate of the said decedent, viz: lot situated on South Richard street, fronting thereon sixty feet and extending back to an alley, adjoining property of R. A. Stiver on the south and Isaac Pierson on the north, having thereon erected a two-story L frame house, containing nine rooms, with good cellar and basement; a stable, buggy house and other outbuildings, with excellent garden and plenty of good fruit trees.

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WILLIAM G. JONES, Executor.

March 1-3t.

Bedford, Pa., Feb. 18th.

Mr. J. Roy Cessna, Bedford, Pa.

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Referring to my fire loss of Sunday, the 10th inst., insurance which was carried with you in the Hartford, wish to assure you of my appreciation of your promptness in settling this claim, in every way as asked by me. This makes a record of less than eight days. I am,

Yours very truly,  
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